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Subhas Takes Up Govt. Challenge

Battle Of Ratios Looms Large

NATION WILL 'UNSETTLE 'SETTLED FACT'

Congress President's Call To Big Business To Mobilise Forces For Lower Rate

CALCUTTA, June 6.

The opinion that popular ministries were better judges than the foreign advisers to the Government of India as to what ratio would be more beneficial to the people of India was expressed by the Congress President, Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose, when interviewed by the Associated Press on the Government of India's announcement on the ratio question. He urged the public and the Chambers of Commerce to launch a countrywide propaganda for lowering the ratio.

Mr. Bose said: "I have seen the communique issued by the Government of India regarding the rupee ratio. No one ever expected that the Government would readily accede to the popular demand for lowering the ratio. It is not for the Government, but for the people to dictate what the ratio should be. Surely our popular Ministers are better judges than the foreign advisers to the Government of India as to what ratio would be more beneficial to the Indian people. If the Government of India foolishly ignore public demands. Once again, it will be necessary for us to start a raging and tearing campaign.

Our agitation will be successful this time, because of the altered situation and also because, we shall have the support of the provincial Governments. We should therefore get ready to take up the challenge thrown out by the Government.

APPEAL TO COMMERCE

In this connection I would appeal to the public in general and the chambers of commerce in particular to launch a countrywide campaign for the lowering of the ratio. We should not delude ourselves with the hope that the efforts of the Congress Ministries will suffice for the purpose. I have no doubt in my mind, that if we put forth necessary effort, we shall get the settled fact unsettled once again".—A. P.

RAMDURG GRIEVANCES

Shankar Rao Deo Meets Rajasaheb And Dewan: Advice To Peasants

BELGAUM, June 7.

Mr. Shankar Rao Deo, member of the Congress Working Committee, has issued a statement to the Press, in which he says that he with members of the Committee appointed by the Deccan State's Peoples' Conference visited Damdurg to inquire into the demands of the ryots and addressed public meetings both at Ramdurg and at Sureban. The Committee members had the opportunity to see the Rajasaheb of Ramdurg and his Dewan, who promised to consider the peasants' grievances sympathetically.

Mr. Deo appeals to the people to continue their struggle on nonviolent and truthful lines and hopes that settlement honourable to both sides, will be arrived at.

Mr Deo left for Poona to-night. —A.P.

SIND PREMIER AT SHIKARPUR

SHIKARPUR, June 7.

"The flood waters are still not completely controlled. No damage whatsoever has been caused and no further villages are affected," said Khan Bahadur Allahbux, Premier, who after visiting the flood affected area returned to Shikarpur this evening and immediately left for Karachi.

Definite schemes for controlling the floods are receiving the immediate attention of the authorities.

The Premier, after a short stay in Karachi, is expected to return here soon.—A.P.

RAILWAY OFFICIAL ARRESTED

Echo Of Bihta Train Disaster

PATNA, June 7.

S. W. Ralph, sectional Controller of the East Indian Railway, Dinapore, was arrested today under Section 101 of the Railway Act in connection with the Bihta Train Disaster, which occurred on the 17th July last year.

It will be recalled that after the Bihta enquiry Sir John Thom in his report stated that the sectional Controller had committed culpable negligence by not issuing caution order to restrict the speed of the ill-fated train.

Ralph has since been released on bail.—A. P

Colonies Made Dumping Ground For Manufactured Articles

Glimpses Into Trade Returns For Br. Malaya For Past Year

(From Our Correspondent.)

SIMLA, June 7.

How colonies are made the dumping ground for manufactured articles and handy sources of supplies for raw materials is amply demonstrated by the trade returns for British Malaya for the year 1937.

As against 15,000 imports of raw material from the United Kingdom, British Malaya exported articles worth L21,58,000 to the United Kingdom.

Regarding manufactured goods, while Malaya exported goods worth L530,000 to the U. K. her imports from Great Britain amounted to L2,284,000

Similarly the percentage of imports into Zanzibar from the United Kingdom increased from 21 per cent in 1936 to 23 point 8 in 1937. In value, total imports into Zanzibar increased from L8,71,072 to L12,29,831.

The share of Indian imports including those from Burma which were 16 point 7 per cent in 1936 fell for India alone to 8 point 6 per cent.

In British East Africa, imports from the United Kingdom increased from L23,18,233 in 1936 to 34,52,879 in 1937. Imports from India increased from 13,79,192 to 4,53,810.

EROSIONS OF BRAHMAPUTRA

Panic Among Inhabitants Of North East Frontier Area

(From Our Correspondent).

TEZPUR, June 7.

Dibrugarh, the Premier Indian town in the North-Eastern Frontier is threatened by erosions of the Brahmaputra river with complete submersion. Since the great floods in 1934, sharp currents of Brahmaputra have drifted from their regular course towards the town and are causing erosions, necessitating the dismantling of the river side buildings, including Government offices. If the present rate of erosions continues, Dibrugarh may cease to exist. Last year, the Irrigation Director of Bengal in conjunction with the Assam Chief Engineer inspected the submerged area and gave a tentative scheme for the protection of the town at a cost of several lakhs of rupees, but the Government of Assam had no means to find money. Erosion reports are daily pouring in and also reports of destruction of houses. The public thought of collecting donations, with a view to erect bund along the Northern boundary of the municipal town, but there was not much response. General panic prevails amongst 15,000 citizens on account of reports of erosions, last week, following the high spate in the Brahmaputra due to rains at source. Dibrugarh is the seat of wealthy teaplanters, but their contribution to the town saving fund is said to have reached several thousands only, while lakhs are needed.

SUB-MAGISTRATE KILLED

Sequel To Outrage By Unknown Person

RAMNAD, June 7.

Mr. S. Brahmanayagam Pillai, Sub-Magistrate of Mudukalatur, was cut in the stomach and legs with a 'bichwa' by an unknown person last night. He expired soon after the removal to hospital.

The District Magistrate and Superintendent of Police arrived on the spot and are making investigation.—United Press.

NOMINATIONS FOR EIRE ELECTIONS

DUBLIN, June 6.

To-day was the nomination day for Erie's General Election to be held on June 17. There are 219 candidates for 137 seats. The Speaker, Mr. Frank Fahy, was automatically been returned unopposed.

The candidates are as follows: --Fianna Fail (Mr. De Valera's Party) 96; Fine Gael (Mr. Cosgrave's Party) 80; Labour 29 and Independents 14.—Reuter.

MAKING AUTOMOBILES IN INDIA

Congress Cabinet To Appoint Experts Committee

MADRAS, June 7.

Mr. V. V. Giri, Minister for Labour and Industries, returned to Madras today after tour in the course of which he met Sir M. Visweswaraya at Bangalore and discussed with him at length the proposed scheme for starting a state-aided motor manufacturing industry in India.

It is understood the Congress Working Committee will soon appoint an Expert Committee, which may also include the ministers of Industries of several provinces to go into the question of starting the automobile and other key industries in India.—A. P.

H. H. Sri Krishnarajendra Wadiyar, Maharaja Of Mysore, who celebrates his 54th birthday to-day.

HUQ'S TRIBUTE TO KHER

Genial Personality And Liberal Mindedness Of Bombay Premier

CALCUTTA, June 7.

Glowing tributes to the genial personality and liberal-mindedness of the Hon. Mr. B. G. Kher, Premier of Bombay, were paid by the Hon. Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq, Premier of Bengal, when interviewed by the Associated Press on his return from Bombay this morning.

Mr. Huq contradicted the reports published in a certain section of the Press in Bombay to the effect that he considered his Ministry as unstable, and also discounted the Press speculations about the Muslim League's demands to the Congress"—A.P.

RESTRAINT ORDER ON AJMER SETH

To Avert Marriage Of Minor Girl

AJMER, June 5.

The City Magistrate Ajmer has issued an injunction restraining a local Seth from solemnising or allowing the solemnisation of the marriage of his daughter, who is a minor with a minor boy. The Seth is reported to have gone away to Kishengarha, neighbouring State, where the court has informed them of the orders telegraphically.—A. P.

Subhas Not Pessimistic

Congress President Awaits Jinnah's Communication

CALCUTTA, June 7.

The formal reply of the Muslim League Council to the Congress memorandum on the question of Hindu-Muslim unity has not yet reached the Congress President at Calcutta.

Approached by the "United Press" for his opinion about the final outcome of the communal unity negotiations in view of the latest utterances of Muslim League stalwarts, Mr. Subhas Bose said that it would not be proper for him to express any opinion on this delicate subject on the basis of mere press reports.

Mr. Bose, however, refused to take a pessimistic view of the situation, despite depressing atmosphere all round, and asked the press representative to remember that the darkest hour of the night was just before dawn.

NEXT STEP.

"It is not likely", replied Rashtrapati Bose to a question whether he proposed to resume negotiations with Mr. Jinnah immediately on receipt of the expected communication. In any case, the next move from their side (Congress) could be made, he added, only after Mahatma Gandhi and the Congress Working Committee had had an opportunity of considering the position taken up by Mr. Jinnah with regard to the important points suggested in the Congress memorandum.

President Bose is going out tomorrow on a tour of East Bengal districts including Chittagong, and will return to Calcutta on June 18.—United Press

BERLIN PRESS INDIGNANT

Campaign Against Czech Attacks On Sudeten Germans

BERLIN, June 7.

Indignation in respect of the latest attacks on Sudeten Germans during the Whitsun holidays together with the criticism of Dr. Hodza's speech are indicated in the re-opening of a vigorous German Press campaign against Prague.

"Volkischer Beobachter" writes. "The Government which is so obviously unable to fulfil the most primitive duties should grant for reasons of self-preservation full autonomy to those parts of the state, which are able to maintain Law and Order in their districts." —Reuter

PETROL TAX IN MADRAS

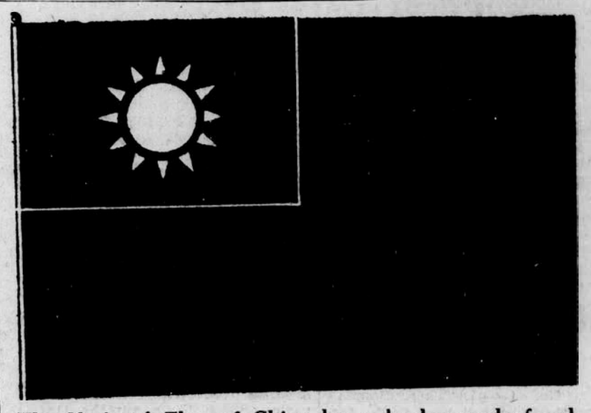
Govt. Awaits Federal Court Decision On C. P. Issue

MADRAS, June 7.

It is understood that the Government of Madras are contemplating the drafting of a Petrol Tax Bill, which will, probably, operate on the consumer directly by obliging him to pay a little more amount per gallon.

The lines adopted in the Central Provinces Petrol Bill will be studied before a final decision is reached, as to the best way of levying the tax, since the whole question of the right of the Provinces to levy such a tax under the Government of India Act of 1935 is, at present, 'sub judice' in the Federal Court, which does not meet again till after the summer recess on October 14th next.

The proposed Bill may not be introduced till the October Session of the Madras Legislative Assembly, which might be suitably fixed as regards the date of bringing it before the Assembly, when the Federal Court decision will be known.—United Press.



The National Flag of China has a background of red, with a white star in the middle of a blue oblong at the left-hand top corner. It will be recalled the A.I.C.C. office has issued instructions that this Flag is to be flown side by side with the Indian National Flag on "China Day" on Sunday.

All-India Test For Govt. Employment

Allahabad University Opposes Scheme As Intrinsically Unsound

(From Our Correspondent)

ALLAHABAD, June 7.

The Allahabad University strongly opposed the Government of India scheme regarding unemployment and recruitment to services, particularly the proposal to hold an All-India public examination of candidates at the age of seventeen. It will be recalled that Government proposed that those who failed to pass this preliminary test would be disqualified from appointment to Government services; yet even a candidate passing this examination would not necessarily get Government service.

The Allahabad University appointed a Committee to consider the Government Communique. The Committee, while opposing Government's proposal as "intrinsically unsound" suggests an alternative scheme in the course of a lengthy report. The Committee opines "Government's proposals would have the inevitable effect of rivetting the attention of the boys to the problem of making it certain that they got the chance of being admitted to Government service examination, at an age, when a youngman has hardly matured and discovered his special talent. It would be most unfair to parents, to youngmen and the Universities.

Considerations urged against the proposal to hold examination at the age of 17 for "inferior" posts apply with even greater force to the second examination at the age of 19 for superior posts.

INTRINSICALLY UNSOUND

The Committee strongly hopes that the Provincial Government would not join such an intrinsically unsound scheme. In the Committee's opinion, there should be three different examinations for three types of Government services (1) Ministerial, (2) Lower Subordinate and (3) Provincial. These examinations may be held by Provincial Governments separately. Every candidate must be allowed more than one chance not exceeding three for each of these examinations. For Ministerial examinations minimum age should be 19 and maximum 21 for lower subordinate minimum 20, maximum 22, and Provincial Services 22 minimum 21 maximum 23.

Gurtu (Vice-Chancellor of the Allahabad University) have formulated their opinion on the subject of unemployment and recruitment to the Public Services referred to in a communique issued by the Government of India, with a view to holding an All-India public examination for boys at 17 for recruitment to Government services.

The Committee which have thrashed the question on behalf of Allahabad University, have totally disapproved of such an examination and said that the real difficulty to-day is that youngmen have not enough avenues of employment for them and those avenues of employment cannot be created by any amount of educational reconstruction or by adoption of new methods of recruitment for Government posts.

The Committee think that the solution of the unemployment problem lies in Government and Society making the training at the pre-University state more varied in character by a judicious development of the economic resources of the country.

The Committee strongly hope that the Provincial Governments would not join in an intrinsically unsound scheme like this.—United Press.

Allahabad Committee's Plea For Development Of Economic Resources

ALLAHABAD, June 7.

A Committee consisting of Prof. Amarnath Jha, the Hon'ble Mr. P. N. Sapru and Mr. Iqbal Narain

STOP PRESS

BOMBAY MINISTERS AT POONA.

POONA, June 7.

The Hon. Mr. B. G. Kher, Premier of Bombay, arrived here this evening. All the Ministers except the Hon. Mr. K. M. Munshi, are now in Poona.—A. P.

Our Tabulated Adlets

1 Anna Per Word—Minimum Re. 1

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1. PERSONAL ADLETS

Dr. K. T. Gajjar, M.D. (Lond.) has returned from Europe and is attending his laboratory at Mherwan Building, Sir Phirojshaw Mehta Road as usual. (10378)

26. MATRIMONIAL.

Wanted suitable match for an educated Aggarwal girl. Apply Box No. 10351 "Bombay Chronicle."

42. SITUATIONS VACANT

Wanted—a Senior Assistant for Trade Number Scheme with at least 5 years experience in cloth line, legal knowledge preferred, pay upto Rs. 200; one Junior Assistant pay upto Rs. 100; one Head-clerk pay up to Rs. 70 and two clerks. Graduates preferred. Appointments will be on probation. Apply on or before 15th June, 1938, to Secretary, Millowners' Association, Ahmedabad. (8729).

Wanted trained, experienced graduates strong in English, Ardha-Magadhi and Science. Apply stating terms to Principal, Union High School, Surat. (8734)

Wanted Inspectors, Organisers and/or Chief Agents in Karachi and other Divisions of Sind for a leading composite Insurance Company of Northern India. Excellent prospects for really competent men—Manager on tour shortly stopping Karachi—Hyderabad (Sind) Apply Box No. 8735 "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted—Applications are invited from duly qualified candidates for the post of the Municipal Sub-Overseer in the grade of Rs. 40-1-70 per month. Candidates with Kanarese as their vernacular are preferred. The candidates must have passed the Sub-Overseers' Test of the Poona Science College or any other equivalent examination. The selected candidate will be on probation for one year. Applications stating age, caste, qualifications, previous experience of service, if any, and accompanied by credentials should reach the undersigned on or before 30-6-1938. S. K. Banagar, President, Ranebennur Municipality, Ranebennur, 30-5-1938. (8694)

Wanted—Cashier, Clerks, Second Guards, for Railway—immediate appointments apply with two annas stamps T. Warry Subzimandi Delhi. (10339)

42. SITUATIONS VACANT

Required Muslim Medical Graduates also Sub-Assistant Surgeon and Compounder, overseas. Apply at once Box No. 10376, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted—Branch Manager on Rs. 80 P.M. for a Building Society to build the houses in prominent town and sell them by instalments. Apply P. B. 10009, Calcutta. (8632)

Wanted a B. Com. or a B. Ag. to work as manager Co-operative Banking Union, Kodinar, on Rs. 60—100 with future prospects according to qualification. Apply to the undersigned stating age, experience (if any) and qualification with copies of certificates before 15th June 1938. Naran Bodavala, President, Co-operative Banking Union, Kodinar, (Kathiawar). (10375)

Wanted Spinning Assistants, those holding Diploma of Technical Institute with or without experience as also those without Diploma but experienced may apply to the Manager, Jubilee Mills, P.O. Railwaypura, Ahmedabad No. 2. (8728)

Wanted Candidates to Qualify Sub-Engineers, Overseers by Postal tuition. Apply British India Technical College, Sukkur, (Sind). (10231)

Wanted Special Managers in all the principal towns of the foreign countries. Salary Rs. 200, 250 to 400 P.M. and 2-1/2 per cent commission on sale with Rs. 75 and Rs. 50 as quarter and Car allowance respectively. After two years service three months leave with T.A. both ways. On appointment shipping documents of goods (Mirzapur Carpets) worth rupees fifteen to twenty thousands will be given against cash deposit of Rs. 10,000 apply Box No. 10346 "Bombay Chronicle."

Nurses and Midwives for the Mofussil are required by the District Local Boards (in the Bombay Presidency) which are writing to the Mofussil Council as per the Government Press Note No. 176 of 11th May, 1938. Applications are, therefore, invited from Registered Nurses and Midwives (B. P. N. A.) for Midiwfery work in the Mofussil on a salary of Rs. 40 ((Rupees forty) plus a house rent allowance of Rs. 10 (Rupees ten) per mensem. Please apply with full particulars and copies of recent testimonials to the Hon. Secretary of the Bombay Mofussil Maternity, Child Welfare and Health Council, B. D. D. Chawl No. 10, Delisle Road, Bombay No. 11. (8724)

43. SITUATIONS WANTED

By a Sugar Expert with 10 years' experience as manager and Chief Technologist in big concerns—First Class M.Sc. in Chemistry—Foreign Training—best references—Apply to Box. 10374 "Bombay Chronicle."

62. TO BE LET

To Let—At Cambata Building, Churchgate Reclamation, large airy residential and office flats, also special 2-bedroom flats, fully equipped with unique westerly situation. Apply Manager on premises. (10347)

68. FLATS TO LET

To Let to Hindus only, spacious flat on the First Floor at Hughes Road, Chaupaty Rent Rs. 130 (Electric consumption by meter) Please see L. S. Dabholkar, 33 Harvey Road, Chaupatty. (10372)

MOTOR DRIVING TUITION.

Motor Driving Taught Perfectly within fifteen days by expert on our car. Charges moderate. Apply Box No. 10371 "Bombay Chronicle."

141. EDUCATIONAL ADLETS

Thackarshi College for Women opens, 20th June 1938. Term Fees Rs. 40 only. For particulars communicate with the Principal, Carnegy Road, Fort, Bombay. (8723)

Nair Hospital Dental College Bombay, 8.—Sixth Annual session opens on Monday, June 20th. Four years' course leading up to L.D.Sc. (Bombay) Diploma. Entrance requirements:—Matriculation of any Indian University. Diploma of the College is registrable under the Baroda State Medical Act. The College is a Member of the International Dental Federation and is recognised by Foreign University Dental Colleges. For prospectus and registration apply to V. M. Desai, The Dean, Nair Hospital Dental College, Lamington Road. Bombay 8. (8613)

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS in B-2 agreement forms are invited from contractors having experience in asphalt road construction for the work of providing 2½" premix asphalt with ½" mixed seal coat and final liquid seal coat on roads at Belgaum. The estimated cost is Rs. 50,340.

2. Contract documents namely drawings, specifications, schedules of quantities etc., can be seen during Office hours viz. from 8 A.M. to 11 A.M. on Saturdays and 12-30 P.M. to 5 P.M. on other week days excepting Sundays and Holidays at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Belgaum Division and blank forms of contract documents can be obtained at the above time and place on payment of Rs. 3 per form. No blank tender form will be issued after 24th June 1938.

3. The tenders enclosed in a sealed cover and superinscribed "Tenders for modernising roads in and round about Belgaum" will be received by the Executive Engineer, Belgaum Division on 28th June 1938 up to 2 P.M. and opened on the same or next day, if possible.

4. The acceptance of the tender will rest with the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, Belgaum, who reserves the right to reject all or any of the tenders and no reasons will be given for acceptance or rejection of any tender.

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
Belgaum Division,
M. & S. M. Railway.
Belgaum, 4th June, 1938.
8715.

IMPERIAL BANK OF INDIA

THE BANK will be CLOSED on MONDAY, the 13th instant, that day being a Public Holiday (ZARTHOST-NO-DISO) under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881.

A. McCULLOCH,
Secretary & Treasurer.
Bombay, 3rd June, 1938.
(8708)

141. EDUCATIONAL ADLETS

Sheth Goculdas Tejpal High School will re-open after the Summer Vacation, on Monday, 13th June. Students seeking admission in this school should see the Principal from Thursday, 9th inst. between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. with their Leaving Certificates. (10355)

College of Dentistry—Intensely practical dental training. Excellent facilities. Efficient staff. Modern buildings and equipment. Session begins 15th July. For illustrated Prospectus apply Principal, Dr. M. K. Patel, D.D.S. Hospital Road, Karachi. (10282)

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154. TRAINING INSTITUTIONS

Laxmi Institute, Dadar, offers expert coaching—Book-keeping, Accountancy Diplomas (F.C.R.A., I.M.C., L.C.C.) Shorthand, Typewriting. Admissions proceeding Frospectus free. (10356)

303. MACHINERY WANTED.

Wanted a second-hand process plant complete Box No. 10377, "Bombay Chronicle."

335. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Wanted a partner who can invest Rupees 30,000 in a profitable running concern. Apply Box No. 10363 "Bombay Chronicle."

Public Notices

SHOLAPUR MUNICIPALITY

Loan of Rs. 7,75,000 at 4 per cent for financing the schemes of Water-supply and Drainage, in two instalments one of Rs. 4,00,000 to be raised in June 1938, and the other of Rs 3,75,000 in June 1939.

The Sholapur Municipality having proposed to carry out the works of (a) Internal Drainage, (b) Outfall Sewer, (c) Sadarbazar Nala Sewer, (d) High Level Service Reservoir and (e) Filtration for the improvement of the town, the Government of Bombay in their Resolution No. 4109 dated 17th May 1938, General Department, have sanctioned raising of a Loan of Rs. 7,75,000 in open Market for the said works. Tenders are, therefore, invited for the first instalment of Rs. 4,00,000 out of the said Loan.

The General Revenues of the Sholapur Municipality are offered as security for the Loan.

The rate of interest on the debentures would be 4 per cent payable in two half-yearly instalments, i.e., after 15th January and 15th July. No interest will be paid on the amount of unpaid interest. The Loan will be repaid at the end of 20 years from the date of issue, but the Municipality retains an option to repay the Loan at any time after 10 years from the date of raising the first instalment by giving six months' previous notice.

The amount of Loan has to be paid in Municipal office as detailed below:—

(1) 10 per cent along with the Tender as Deposit.
(2) The whole of the remaining amount within fifteen days from the date of intimation to the applicant regarding acceptance of his Tender.
(3) Interest would be charged when the whole amount is paid up after the tender is accepted.

Tenders with the deposit should be submitted to the Chief Officer, Sholapur Municipality, on or before Wednesday, the 15th June 1938 upto 4 p. m., in the prescribed form of application available in Municipal Account Office at Anna One each. The tenders must be enclosed in sealed covers superscribed.

"TENDER FOR LOAN OF WATER-SUPPLY AND DRAINAGE"

No Tenders below par Rs. 100/- shall be accepted.

(Sd.) V. V. MULAY. President.
Sholapur Municipality.
Sholapur Municipal Office.
28th May, 1938. 8722.

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY. CITY ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT. (Works Branch).

NOTICE.

TENDERS for the work of paving with blue stone slabs the footpaths at (1) Arthur Bunder Road off Colaba Causeway, (2) Thakurdwar Road between Vithalbhai Patel Road & Girgaum Road, (3) Girgaum Road between Kennedy Sea Face & Gamdevi Road and (4) the junction of DeLisle Road and Arthur Road, will be received upto 1 p.m. (Bombay Time) on FRIDAY, the 17th June, 1938.

Tenders should be addressed to the Municipal Commissioner and delivered at the office of the Chief Accountant, Municipal Offices, Fort, Bombay, enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the description of the tender.

Forms of tender, specification, etc. will be issued on payment of Rupees 5 to any one deputed to receive them by the Dy. City Engineer, who will on application give any further information that may be required.

In case of a firm, the names of all the partners must invariably be specified in the tender.

The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

(Sd.) D. N. BARIA,
Dy. City Engineer.
Municipal Offices,
Bombay, 2nd June, 1938.
8726.

Legal Notices

IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT MUNSIF MASULIPATAM
O.S. No. 327|36 Ia

M. V. Nagabhushanarao Sowcar ..... Petitioner D. Hr.
Vs.
Akella Venkataradhanulu Akella Lakshminarayana Sastri .. Respondents of Drs.

The above named respondents are hereby required to take notice that the petition for final decree for sale in the above suit stands posted to 11-6-38 for their appearance at 11 a.m.

SARVA V. SURYANARAYANA,
Vakil for Petr.
(10373)

Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Public Notice of Dissolution published by my clients Messrs. Balubhai Narotamdas and Harilal Narotamdas in the issue of "Bombay Chronicle" of 6th instant, dissolving partnership with Messrs. Shantilal Narotamdas and Parmananddas Narotamdas is hereby cancelled; and my clients will continue partnership business carried on in the names of "B. SHANTI MILLS" and "DHIRAJLAL HARILAL" with the said two persons.

Dated this 7th June, 1938.
GANGADAS C. MEHTA.
Advocate for Messrs. Balubhai Narotamdas & Harilal Narotamdas.
Rahimtulla Bldg.,
Picket Road, Bombay 2.
8725.

SHREE LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FOURTEENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shree Life Assurance Company, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Fort Chambers, 6-10, Dean Lane, Fort, Bombay on Saturday, 25th June, 1938, at 3 P.M. (S.T.) to transact the following business:—

(1) To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Accounts and Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st December 1937.
(2) To elect Directors in place of those who retire by rotation but who are eligible for re-election.
(3) To appoint auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.
(4) To transact such other business as may be brought before the Meeting by the Chairman.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 18th June to 2nd July, 1938, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.
VAIDYA & DESAI,
Managing Agents.
Bombay, 4th June 1938.

The Share-holders and Policy-holders of Shree Life Assurance Co., Ltd., are hereby informed that the Company has received three notices from the following Share-holders intimating that they will move at the 14th Annual General Meeting of the Company (to be held on 25th June 1938) the following resolutions:—

(1) From Mr. Keshavprasad Chhotalal Desai proposing:—
"That Mr. Jugatram Shankerprasad Vaidya be elected an additional Director of the Company."
(2) From Mr. Keshavlal H. Setalvad:—
"I propose that Mr. Keshavprasad Chhotalal Desai, B.A., LL.B., be elected as an additional Director of the Company."
(3) From Mr. Dwarkaprasad Tribhovandas Bhatt:—
"I propose that in order to meet the Contingencies arising out of the new Insurance Act of 1938 and in pursuance of the recommendation made in the last Valuation Report by the Consulting Actuary of the Company, Mr. G. S. Marathey, the Directors be authorised to sell the remaining unsold shares of the Company, viz. of Rs. 31,000."

VAIDYA & DESAI,
Managing Agents.
8736.

Legal Notices

IN THE COURT OF SUB-JUDGE SUKKUR.

Suit No: 3 of 1938.

THE PROVINCE OF SIND ..... Plaintiff.
versus.
MR. R. G. MACARTHUR, late temporary Ex. Engineer Communications (Railway and Fleet) Division, Lloyd Barrage Circle, Sukkur, now residing at Bombay, c/o. Messrs. Crawford Bayley & Co. Solicitors and Notaries, Public, Bombay ..... Defendant.

To,
The above named Defendant.

WHEREAS the above plaintiff has filed a suit for Rs. 1150-15. in this court and the summons are not being served on you by an ordinary way. Therefore you are informed by this paper that the above suit is fixed for filing written statement on 26th day of June 1938 and at 7-30 a.m. You are therefore required to appear in person or through a pleader on the above date.

In case of default the above case will be determined exparte.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court dated 7th May, 1938.
RAMKISHORI NARAINDAS.
Clerk of the Court.
8733.

Public Notices

ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE. ABDULLA FAZALBHOY TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. BOMBAY

The Institute conducts the following Courses for young men, who are not attracted by the learned professions. There is special emphasis on practical training in the form of ample provision for Laboratory Work and Workshop Practice for each of the Courses. The duration of the Courses is from six months to one year.

RADIO SERVICE COURSE
WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY COURSE
PROJECTIONIST COURSE.

The Institute is organised on an All-India basis, it works in close co-operation and in perfect agreement with the Radio and the Cinema trade in this country. To prevent overcrowding of technical men in any one province, a system of admission by regional Quotas is adhered to. Therefore, candidates who are in a hurry to join the coming Term are advised to write immediately and reserve a place on the Waiting List in the prescribed manner. In granting admission we take into account the demand of the trade for technical help and also the possibility of its expansion in unexploited areas and not the number of applicants.

All courses begin early in the month of July the application from students should reach the Institution not later than the 20th of June. *Detailed prospectus for all the Courses on applications.*

A REQUEST: Write your Name and Address clearly, not forgetting to mention the province. Often, in spite of all our efforts to trace the correct address of the Senders, some replies have to be sent tentatively to probable destinations; which may incidently explain why some queries have received no answer in the past
8658.

SYDENHAM COLLEGE OF COMMERCE & ECONOMICS, BOMBAY

Under the bifurcation scheme students are now eligible for admission to the College after passing the Matriculation Examination. Students desirous of admission to the new First Year Commerce Class should apply personally at the College on the 15th June and following days. Very early application is advisable.

The Entrance Examination of students desirous of admission to the Inter. Com. Class will be held on 14th June at 11 a.m.

For Prospectus and other particulars apply to the Principal.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MR. MANECKJI HORMUSJI GUZDAR. of Andheri Parsi Inhabitant has contracted to sell to our clients the undermentioned property. All persons having any claim or interest in, or, to the property or any portion thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, lease, lien, charge, possession, trust, gift, inheritance, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Fort Chambers, Hamam Street, Fort, Bombay, within fourteen (14) days from the publication hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claims and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of vacant plot of land or ground situate, lying and being at Santa Cruz, Taluka Salsette, Registration Sub-District of Bandra, District Bombay Suburban, containing by admeasurement 876 square yards or thereabout and marked as Plot No. 5E and being a portion of Final Plot No. 5 of Scheme No. II of the Santa Cruz Town Planning Scheme in the Books of the Collector of Bombay Suburban District and which premises are bounded as follows:—That is to say, on the West by Tagore Road, on the North by the 30' proposed Road, on the East by Plot No. 5D and on the South by Dattatraya Road.

Dated this 7th day of June, 1938.
NANU HORMUSJEE & CO.,
Purchasers' Attorneys.
8732.

Legal Notices

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MR. BABAJI BHAGWANT KULKARNI has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

Any person having any claim or interest in or to the said property by way of sale, mortgage, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance, lease or otherwise howsoever is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office in Spinner Building, Tamarind Lane, Fort, Bombay and to the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof; otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same, if any, will be deemed to have been waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of Foras Freehold land or ground together with the bungalows and outhouses standing thereon situate, lying and being at Dadar, without the Fort of Bombay in the City and Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement one thousand three hundred and forty-two (1342) square yards or thereabouts be the same a little more or less and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 488, 5B, New Nos. A/12493, 12516, New Survey No. A1/2001 and 1B/2001 and Cadastral Survey No. 1/81 and 81 of Dadar and Naigaum Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under F Ward Nos. 522(6) 523 and Street Nos. 155E and 156A and bounded as follows:—that is to say, on or towards the North by the property of the G. I. P. Railway Company, on or towards the West partly by the property of Jehangir Rustomji Kolah, on or towards the South by the property of Messrs. Bhaurao Mukundrao & Sons and on or towards the East by the Dadar Road which property is made up of two properties conveyed by two Conveyances dated the 13th day of April, 1922 and the 23rd day of September, 1922, respectively and registered under No. 2102 at pages 138 to 144 Volume 2969 of Book No. I and No. 3519 at pages 67 to 73 Volume 3011 of Book No. I.

Dated this 8th day of June, 1938.
SOLOMON & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
8727.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MANECKJI HORMUSJI GUZDAR of Andheri Parsi Inhabitant has contracted to sell to our clients the undermentioned property. All persons having any claim or interests in or to the property or any portion thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, lease, lien, charge, possession, trust, gift, inheritance, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Fort Chambers, Hamam Street, Fort, Bombay, within fourteen (14) days from the publication hereof; otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claims and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of vacant plot of land or ground comprised in Santa Cruz, Town Planning Scheme No. II situate, lying and being at Santa Cruz Taluka Salsette, Registration Sub-District of Bandra, District Bombay Suburban, containing by admeasurement 800 square yards or thereabouts and marked as Plot No. 5 F and being a portion of Final Plot No. 5 of Scheme No. II of the said Santa Cruz Town Planning Scheme in the Books of the Collector of Bombay Suburban District and which premises are bounded as follows:—That is to say, on the West by Tagore Road, on the South by 30 feet Proposed Road, on the East by Plot No. 5 G of the said Scheme belonging to the Vendor and on the North by Final Plot No. 2 of the said Scheme.

Dated this 7th day of June, 1938.
NANU HORMUSJEE & CO.,
Purchasers' Attorneys.
8731.

"KUNKU"
5TH WEEK
AT
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Public Notices

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

AN ORDINARY MONTHLY MEETING of the Corporation will be held in the Municipal Office on THURSDAY, the 16th June 1938, at 3 P. M. (Bombay Time), for the consideration of the following business:—

1. Interpellations.

2. Letter from Mr. M. E. Mohamedy on behalf of Mr. Soolayman Cassumji Madha—Regarding an offer for surrendering the property on plots Nos. 36 and 37, Scheme 3, Sandhurst Road (East) Estate.

3-7. Letters from the authorities of the (3) Hindu Women's Rescue Home Society; (4) Bai Yamunabai L. Nair Charitable Hospital; (5) Shree Luxmi Narayan Vyayam Shala (6) Adams Wylie Memorial Hospital; and (7) Hindu Sevak Samaj—Thanking the Corporation for sanctioning grants in aid of their respective institutions for the year 1938-39.

8. Letter from the Honorary Secretary, Maharashtra Mitra Mandal—Forwarding the Report of the Mandal for the year 1937.

Resolutions of the Standing Committee—

9. Recommending an additional grant from Surplus Cash Balance to meet the cost of adding lands acquired as setbacks to roads.

10. Modifying, subject to confirmation by the Corporation, certain rules of the Municipal Service, etc., Regulations.

11. Regarding the purchase of two motor fire engines and a fire escape.

12. Forwarding a return showing the enforcement or otherwise of sanctions obtained for the removal of unauthorised works.

13. Regarding the administration of the Municipal Fines Fund.

14. Regarding the laying of a water main in Palton Road.

15. Forwarding a quarterly statement of outstanding wheel tax bills.

16. Recommending a grant from Surplus Cash Balance to write off the difference in the book value and the sale price of the obsolete spare parts of certain Albion Motor lorries.

17. Regarding certain arrangements to be made in the City Engineer's Department during the period of deputation of Mr. N. V. Modak.

18. Recommending an advance from Surplus Cash Balance to meet the cost of the extra staff in the Municipal Printing Press.

19. Recommending an additional grant for the purchase of a Dust Extraction Plant for the Stone Crusher at Sewri Quarry.

20. Recommending an additional grant for the construction in cement concrete of the portion along the Railway Siding at Deonar.

21. Modifying, subject to confirmation by the Corporation, some of the Municipal Service Regulations.

22. Regarding a proposal to place the Town Duty Refund work in charge of the Election Officer.

23. Recommending an additional advance to meet the excess in the cost of purchasing a motor tractor and trailor.

24. Recommending an additional advance to meet the excess in the cost of purchasing a hydraulic testing machine, etc.

25. Regarding the temporary appointments created by the Commissioner.

26. Statements of Budget transfers sanctioned finally by the Committee.

Resolutions of the Improvements Committee—

27. Regarding the Tripartite Road Improvement Scheme, Scheme No. 72.

28. Regarding the height and user of buildings on plots on the Marine Lines Estate.

29. Regarding the right of cultivation and extention of lease of the Worli Park area in Scheme 52.

30. Regarding the sub-division of Plot No. 96, Scheme 52, Worli Estate.

31. Regarding the transfer of the right of access over the Municipal land at Lakhamsi Napoo Road, Dadar.

Resolutions of the Special Committees—

32. Regarding the provision of a water main in the eastern footpath of D'Lisle Road.

33. Regarding the renaming of Walkeshwar Cross Lane as "Shantaram Narayan Lane."

34. Regarding the development and layout of a portion of Scheme 52, Worli Estate.

35. Regarding the layout of a portion of Scheme 57, Sewri-Wadala Estate.

36. Regarding the naming of a road in the Dadar Parsi Colony as "Dr. Dinsha Master Road" and renaming the portion of Lohar Street between Queen's Road and Girgaum Road as "Dr. Cawasji Hormusji Street."

37. Regarding the renaming of Killedar Street as "Moosa Killedar Street."

38. Regarding the work of encasing in concrete a portion of the two 57" Tansa Mains in Sleator Road.

39. Regarding the work of connecting a discontinued portion of the 32" Vehar main near the Byculla Bridge South approach.

40. Regarding certain works to be carried out for giving adequate supply of water to the elevated areas of Dongri and Mazagaon.

41. Regarding the naming of certain roads and a cross street as "Shradhanand Road," "Mahilashram Road" and "Shradhanand Cross Road," respectively.

42. Regarding the renaming of the portions of Esplanade Road between the Queen's Statue and Wellington Fountain as "Mahatma Gandhi Road."

43. Regarding the layout of a portion of Scheme 6, Sion-Matunga Estate.

44. Regarding the question of abrogating the rule prohibiting the public from carrying dead bodies along Queen's Road between certain hours, etc.

45. Regarding draft amendments of the Municipal Act so as to empower the Municipality to acquire obstructive buildings or parts thereof to facilitate the work of slum clearance in the City.

46. Regarding the amendment of Section 13 (1) (c) of the Municipal Act relating to disqualification of Councillors.

47. Regarding the amendment of the Rule for adjournment of Corporation Meetings on the deaths of distinguished persons, etc.

48. Regarding the amendment of the Municipal Act so as to empower the Corporation to enquire into the conduct of Municipal Officers and servants subordinate to the Municipal Commissioner.

49. Regarding the question of representing Government the necessity of returning to the Municipality the sources of income appropriated by them.

Schools Committee's letters—

50. Regarding the disaffiliation of the Municipal Boy Scout and Girl Guide movement from the official Baden-Powell movement.

51. Forwarding the Committee's revised and recast Budget estimates for 1938-39.

Letters from the Commissioner—

52. Forwarding quarterly statement of water brought into the City and the suburbs from the various lakes.

53. Regarding encroachment made by the building tenants on plot No. 88, Scheme No. 60, Nalgaum Estate.

54. Forwarding the Executive Health Officer's Report for the first quarter of 1938.

55. Forwarding monthly Analytical and Bacteriological Reports on the Bombay Water Supplies for the months of April and May 1938.

56. Regarding a proposal to put up a meter box in the compulsory open space of Wadala Market plot, Scheme 57.

57. Forwarding quarterly statement of motor vehicles taxed and exempted.

58. Regarding payment of Special Compassionate Allowance to the heirs of a late scavenger in the Conservancy Branch.

59. Forwarding a list showing the breeding places of malaria carrier mosquitoes detected in April 1938.

60. Forwarding a statement showing the balances due by the Corporation to the Secretary of State for India in Council and the Municipal security holders.

61. Requesting sanction to a plot in Sion-Matunga Estate Scheme being leased to Messrs. The Textile Engravers, Ltd.

62. Forwarding copy of a notification regarding the election of Mr. Parshuram Dataram Shamdasani as a Municipal Councillor.

63. Reporting on an application for gratuity in respect of the services of a deceased Halalkhore woman.

64. Requesting sanction to the lease of Plot No. 15, Hornby Road to Ballard Pier Scheme, being prepared as proposed by the building tenants.

65-66. Regarding offers received to take on lease plots in the Hornby Road to Ballard Pier Scheme.

67. Forwarding a quarterly statement regarding the cleansing of drains and sewers in the City.

68. Further consideration of the Draft Bye-laws regarding grant of loans for building purposes, etc.

69. Letter from Mrs. Nawazbanu M. Karanjawala—Thanking the Corporation for their Resolution on the death of her husband, the late Mr. M. A. Karanjawala.

70. Letter from Mr. Yusuf J. Meherally—Applying for leave of absence from the meetings of the Corporation.

71. Letter from the Principal and Secretary, Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute—Forwarding a statement showing the attendance of members of the Managing Board of the Institute during the year 1937-38.

72. Letter from the Chief Traffic Manager, G.I.P. Rly.—Regarding reduction in Railway freight for transport of dry cattle from Bombay.

Communications from the Municipal Secretary—

73. Requesting the Corporation to appoint their representatives on the Managing Bodies of certain institutions to which grants are made for the year 1938-39.

74. Submitting a return of attendance of Councillors at meetings of the Corporation, the Standing Committee, the Improvements Committee and other Committees and Sub-Committees, etc., during the year ended the 31st March 1938.

75. Confirmation of the Special Committees' Proceedings.

76. Schools Committee's Letters—Forwarding printed copies of the Committee's proceedings.

Notices of Motions—

77. From Mr. M. N. Talpade—For expressing opinion that no private practice should be allowed to any medical graduates in the Municipal service.

78. From Mr. Gordhandas G. Morarji—For giving six months' time to the licensees of the New Era Paint Works at Khambatta Lane to shift their works.

79. From Mr. V. N. Vedak—For requesting the B. E. S. & T. Co., Ltd., to consider the desirability of extending the tram lines from Dadar Tram Terminus to Mahim Causeway, via the Tilak Bridge.

80-81. From Dr. D. G. Tendulkar—For obtaining a report from (80) the Medical Relief, etc., Committee as to the measures to be taken to check the spread of Enteric Fever in the City; and (81) the Tramways, etc., Committee, on the desirability of removing the Police Chowky and the Tramway Shelter from their present positions at Poibawdi Parel Tram Terminus.

82. From Rao Bahadur S. K. Bole—For providing a Traffic Island at the junction of Gokhale Road and Portuguese Church Street, Dadar.

83-84. From Dr. D. G. Tendulkar—For (83), arranging free antityphoid serum treatment at the Municipal Hospitals and the dispensaries; and (84) providing additional nursing staff at the K.E.M. Hospital.

85. From Mr. Jamnadas M. Mehta—For requesting the Commissioner to furnish a statement showing appointments made in different departments from amongst the registered candidates.

86. From Rao Bahadur S. K. Bole—For appointing a Committee to submit proposals to strengthen the present staff at the K.E.M. Hospital.

87. From Dr. P. G. Solanki—For requesting the Commissioner to approach Government for a piece of land out of the Esplanade Maidan for Municipal Sports Club.

88-90. From Mr. M. E. Joshi—For requesting the Commissioner to (88) expedite proposals for providing dust bin stands in the compounds of buildings in the Hindu Colony at Dadar, etc., (89) recommend the B.E.S. & T. Co., Ltd., to remove beggar and hawker nuisance from the Kohinoor Mill and other tramway shelters; and (90) submit proposals for converting the disused septic tanks at Matunga into swimming baths for the public.

91-93. From Mr. Keshao Ganesh Tambe—For requesting the Commissioner to (91) provide a urinal to the west side of the Kohinoor Mills, Dadar; (92) make available the plot adjacent to the Matunga Pumping Station for the use of children of Shishu Vihar School; and (93) report on the advisability of dispensing with the system of water supply by meter measurement to certain Gymkhanas, etc., and reducing water charges for building purposes, etc.

By Order Of His Worship the Mayor.
D. V. NADKARNI,
Municipal Secretary.

Municipal Corporation Office,
Bombay, 7th June, 1938.

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Public Notices

PLAZA
Talkies, Dadar
Harischandra
(In Tamil)
THURSDAY, 9th June at 10 A.M.

Auction Sales

CRAWFORD & CO.

AUCTION SALE OF THE GOODWILL & STOCK-IN-TRADE OF F. CORNAGLIA & CO., CONFECTIONERS AND CATERERS

Under instructions from the Official Assignee of Bombay and the Assignee of the estate and effects of the insolvent Simon Bruck traded as F. Cornaglia & Co. Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, 15th June 1938 at 4 P. M. (S. T.) in the office of the Official Assignee, High Court, Bombay.

(1) the business of F. Cornaglia & Co., Confectioners and Caterers, as a going concern including the Stock-in-trade consisting of cutlery, crockery, glassware, silverware, linen, furniture, plant and machinery, electric equipment, etc. lying at 133-35 Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

(2) 27 cases containing crockery, silverware, cutlery, glassware and linen lying in the Auctioneers' rooms at 122, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay.

(3) the good-will and firm name of F. Cornaglia & Co., Confectioners and Caterers, (not including the outstandings of the said business and without the benefit of the Refreshment Room License for sale of Liquor bearing No. 30).

Property will be on view on 11th and 14th instant between 7 and 10 A. M. (S. T.)

For further particulars please apply to:

CRAWFORD & CO.

BENNETT & Co.

AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY AT ABDUL REHMAN STREET.

Under instructions from the Court Receiver, Bombay, as Receiver in Suit No. 1018 of 1937 (Mahomedbhai Abdulabhai and others vs. Bai Fatmabai and others) Messrs. BENNETT & CO., will on MONDAY the 20th June 1938 at 4 p. m. (S.T.) sell by Public auction on the premises:—

FIRST—ALL THAT piece of Fazandari land with buildings at Abdul Rehman Street admeasuring about 182 square yards and bounded on the East by a Sweepers passage, on the West by Abdul Rehman Street, on the North by the property of Ibrahimji Thavar Opal and on the South by the property secondly described Street No. 341.

SECONDLY—ALL THAT piece of Fazandari land with building at Abdul Rehman Street about 73 sq. yards Street No. 339.

THIRDLY—ALL THAT piece of Fazandari land with buildings at Abdul Rehman Street about 73 sq. Yards Street No. 337.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale apply to M/s. Mulla & Mulla, Attorneys for the Court Receiver, Jehangir Wadia Bldg., Esplanade Road, Fort or to the undersigned.

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AROUND THE COURTS

Bombay, Tuesday.

Twenty-three accused, who were found in the Diamond Club at Juhu, headed by Morari Doodwala, were brought up before the Bandra City Magistrate yesterday and were further remanded as the police were not ready to go on with the case. The case will be taken up shortly.

The quarters of Mr. Minoo Engineer, a Sub-Inspector attached to the Maharbouri Police, were burgled early this morning and property of the value of about Rs. 3,500, including jewellery, was stolen.

The burglars seemed to have entered the building through the back staircase, and gained admission to the rooms through the water closet. The inmates including the police officer were fast asleep.

Police are making inquiries.

Ram Sumer Shivcharan Pandya was arrested in a soda shop in connection with sutta gambling on Monday night.

Several alleged sutta records were found in his shop and Rs. 50 in cash with marked coins were seized. Several attempts have been made by the section police and the C. I. D. to catch this man.

Sub-Inspector J. K. Savant of the Anti-Gambling Squad raided the place at 7 p. m. last night.

A number of complaints have been made to the Commissioner of police against Sumer Pandya.

Two watchmen of the Cotton Depot were taken into custody by the Kalachowkie Police last night on suspicion of having caused mischief and damage by setting fire to bales of cotton inside godown No. D.

It was stated that at about 9-30 p. m., last night the fire brigade received an alarm and, on arrival at the Cotton Depot, they were told by Maharsing Gobinda, a watchman, that he gave the alarm. The officer saw no fire inside but just before leaving the place he noticed a piece of cloth soaked in kerosene oil in a corner just under a bale which had slightly caught fire. The fire was put out and Gobinda and Charansing Vasantsing, the watchman, were taken into custody by the police. No damage was caused.

The accused were ordered to be released on bail in a sum of Rs. 100 till the 21st instant at the Dadar Police Court to-day.

Socialist Fined

Sir Purshottamdas Thakurdas figured to-day as a witness in case of rash and negligent driving in which Mr. Ashok R. Mehta, a member of the B. P. C. C. and a Socialist stood charged with rash and negligent driving.

Sir Purshottamdas, giving evidence stated that on 5th March the car driven by the accused came from behind and overtook his car on the wrong side of the car. A collison was averted by the presence of mind of the driver and of the witness. Witness noted down the number of the car and communicated to the police.

Witness, in his letter stated that he did not know the accused at that time.

Accused pleaded not guilty.

On the evidence before the Court, the accused was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 40.

Alleged Counterfeiting Of Elgin Trade Mark

A sensational case of using false trade marks, selling goods with a counterfeit trade mark and cheating is the subject matter of an inquiry before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay.

The complainant, in this case is Mr. Vithaldas Chaturbhuj Shetia, on behalf of the Cawnpore Mills Depot, Selling Agents for the Elgin's Mills Co. Ltd. The accused Mohanlal Goculdas Shah stands charged under Sections 482, 486, 420 I.P. C. And Sections 6 and 7 of the Indian Merchandise Mark Act.

The present case is a sequel to the investigations made by Mr. Gibb of the Bombay C.I.D. into the allegations made by the complainant against the accused before the Chief Presidency Magistrate.

The complainant, in his information stated that he was a partner in the firm of Messrs. Cawnpore Mills Depot, who are the Selling Agents in Bombay Presidency for the Elgin Mills Company Ltd. Cawnpore. The complainant's place of business is at Church Gate Street.

The complainant further stated that the accused was a piecegoods merchant in Sheikh Menon Street in the name of Mohanlal Goculdas. Complainant received complaints from respectable persons that the accused represented himself to be the Agent of Elgin Mills Co. Ltd., and that he palmed off on his customers inferior cloth either of Japanese manufacture or goods manufactured by other Indian mills as cloth manufactured by the Elgin Mills Co. Ltd., which had acquired great reputation in the market.

Elgin Mills cloth commanded extensive sale not only in Bombay but in all parts of India. Accused, complainant alleged, dishonestly exploited their reputation by making false representations to his customers.

About December 31, 1936, the complainant received a letter from Mr. Vakharia, Advocate on behalf of Mr. K. B. Gadekar, proprietor, Bombay stores Matunga stating that he purchased one piece of bleached long-cloth from the accused's shop with a stamp denoting its length as 42 yards and another stamp denoting that it was manufactured by the Elgin Mills Co. with the initials of the accused described as agent.

The above letter stated that it was subsequently discovered that the cloth was not the manufacture of Elgin Mills and that it measured only 40 yards. A complaint was lodged with the police. The letter concluded with a request to the complainant's firm to inquire into the matter.

The complainant further alleged that the piece in question was later on forwarded to them. The memo given by the accused to Mr. Gadekar bore the name of the accused and was issued from his shop.

It stated that cloth was that of Elgin Mills.

A similar complaint had been received previously against the same merchant from one Mr. P. E. Captain.

The complainant then instituted inquiries into the matter as a result of which he found that the accused got his rubber stamps prepared from Maharaja Agrasen and Co. The stamp impressed on the piece in question, according to the complainant was fraudulently impressed on the piece with a view to practise deception upon the public desirous of purchasing pieces manufactured by the Elgin Mills. The piece in question also bore a trade description which was untrue in a material respect—regarding its length. A false mark was also applied to the said piece denoting that the goods were the manufacture of the Elgin Mills. The complainant therefore submitted that the accused had applied a false trade mark and a false trade description to the said piece of cloth. The accused, by his fraudulent conduct, caused considerable wrongful loss to the complainant's firm.

The complainant also stated that he had been creditably informed that the accused kept in his shop false maker stamps not only of Elgin but also of other Mills, whose cloth had acquired some reputation.

The complainant concluding submitted that this was a case, in which, the interests of justice required that the various ways in which the accused deceived the unsuspecting public might be detected and protection might be accorded to manufacturers, honest tradesmen and purchasing public.

LONDON'S POLICE DOGS

First two Labrador retriever dogs which are to accompany London Policemen on conely beats in sueurbs are now at Pecham Police Station after their course of training. A retiever is here seen with a mobile policeman.

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Second Division Harwood League

Blue Rangers Win Again

BOMBAY CITY 'B' BEATEN IN TYPICAL MONSOONISH CONDITIONS

The G. I. P. Railway ground at Parel was all mud-and-water on Tuesday evening, when the Blue Rangers, who have won all their matches so far, defeated the second string of the Bombay City by 2 goals to nil, in the junior division of Harwood League Football Tournament.

In such monsoonic conditions all one could see was miskicking and number of falls, which made it difficult even to recognise players.

The losers were handicapped as they played with nine men throughout, while Blue Rangers were also one short.

Despite these deplorable state of affairs due to heavy rain, Jones and Brackstone, Bombay City's backs, gave a good account of themselves, the former being more prominent than his colleague.

It was still drizzling when play opened and early in the first period Proudfoot, the winner's outside-right, failed to find the net from a near range. City transferred play to their opponent's territory but their short spell of attacking bore no fruit.

Rangers broke through again and Grostate, their left half-back, who was in possession, seeing the forward in front of him out of position, ran up himself and took a good angular shot, but the City goal-keeper, rose up to the occasion and brought off a fine save. Jones, the loser's right back, was responsible in breaking up two dangerous raids of the Ranger's forwards at this stage and the score-board was still blank, when half-time was called.

Jones repeated his performance immediately after resumption but a penalty-kick, awarded to the Rangers a little later, gave them their first goal. Delaney, their centre-forward, converting it to advantage.

Rangers' lead seemed to have served as a tonic to the City players, who worked very hard and continually pressed their opponents for a couple of minutes. During this period Nuttal and Deatker each wasted a scoring opportunity and this marked the end of their attacking.

Rangers, following this, had things almost their own way and a few minutes before the end, J. Strickland, their inside-left, obtained their second goal.

The Result:—
BLUE RANGERS ..... 2 Goals.
BOMBAY CITY "B" ..... Nil.

The teams were:—
BLUE RANGERS: White; Adams and Farla; Grostate and Quilter; J. Strickland and Bull.
BOMBAY CITY "B": Roberts; Jones and Brackstone; Smith, Nuttal and Griffiths; Lobo, Deatker and Miskieth.
REFEREE: Mr. Dagorne.

TO-DAY'S MATCH.
St. Xavier's College Ground, Parel at 5-50 p.m.—Y. M. C. A. vs. Transit Section.

UNIMPRESSIVE FOOTBALL IN HARWOOD LEAGUE

Colaba Gunners Win By 2 Goals

Conditions overhead and under foot were somewhat better on Tuesday evening when the Royal Artillery from Colaba tried conclusions with the Bombay City in the first division of the Harwood League. The Gunners won the verdict by a brace of goals to nil

The game was far from interesting and the spectators heaved a sigh of relief when the final whistle was blown. The Gunners did all the attacking but their shooting was deplorable. If their shooting was more accurate and pungent, they would have won the match by a much bigger margin.

The City without the services of their brilliant full back was in a disorganised state. Pope who deputised for him, did some useful work in the second line of defence. Their weakest link was however their pivot, Pickering, who seemed to be completely at Sea. In consequence the civilians suffered both in attack and defence. Their forwards showed little dash and less enterprise. Unless they put forth more life and vigour into their play the City is not likely to be much farther than bottom of the table at the end of the season. McNamara, in their goal acquitted himself creditably under pressure.

BOOTH SCORES.

Right from the start the Colaba Gunners monopolised the attacking operations and made repeated attempts to bring down the City fortress. It was not before ten minutes had elapsed that they were able to notch the first goal. After several close range shots had failed to pierce the target, Booth, the Colaba left-half, tried a long shot from forty yards range. McNamara was deceived by the flight of the ball, which entered the net safely. A couple of minutes later, Ormond, the artillery inside-right, increased the lead by scoring the second goal from close quarters. Thereafter they tried in vain to add to the total. But their faulty marksmanship, coupled with good goalkeeping by McNamara, kept the score stationary till the interval arrived.

In the second moiety, French made a courageous attack at the Colaba goal. Dryden cleared it away in fine style. The City were playing one man short Otter, being unable to resume after half-time owing to an injury. This handicapped the Civilians still more. The Gunners however failed to score a single goal during this period despite strenuous efforts.

THE RESULT.
R. A. COLABA ..... 2 goals.
BOMBAY CITY ..... Nil.

THE TEAMS.
R. A. COLABA: Dryden; Turner and Brack; Wilkes, McDermott and Booth; Baughan, Osmond, Rourke, McKee and Perry.
BOMBAY CITY: McNamara; Almeida and Pope; Maarteusoz, Pickering and D'Cunha; Comrie, Pritchard, French, Grange and Otter.
REFEREE: W. Bradley.

To-day's Game
Caltex vs. Bombay United at 6 p.m.

FIRST-AID TO INJURED

Dr. Dara R. Hakim's Series Of Lectures Begins Next Sunday

Under the auspices of the St. John Ambulance Association, "Jewish Centre", lectures in "First-Aid To The Injured" for males will be given by Dr. Dara Rustomji Hakim, B.Sc., L.C.P.S., M.B.B.S, FRMS (London), every Sunday, from 12th inst. from 3 to 5 p. m. (S.T.) in the premises of Sir Jacob Sassoon High School, at Victoria Garden Road, Byculla.

The course consists of a series of 8 lectures fully illustrated on Human Anatomy and Physiology, Circulatory, Respiratory, Digestive and Narvous Systems, Fractures, Drowning Poisoning etc.

CLASS ON HOME NURSING.

A "Home Nursing" class for females will also be held by Dr. May Sampson from the same date in the above School's premises from 5 to 6-30 p. m. (S.T.) There will be a series of about 12 interesting lectures. No fees are charged.

Intending candidates are requested to register their names with Mr. Samuel Judah, Hon. Secretary, Silver Mansion, Chinch Bunder Road, Bombay No. 9, as early as possible.

Pursues His "Hobby" Even On Bail!

An accused who is on bail since March 31 and who is stated not to have left his predilictions of theft, was remanded into Police custody at the Mazagon Police Court to-day, till the 21st instant. Some stolen property was recovered from the house of the accused Huseinalli Fida Hussein and it is suspected that he took to more house-breaking during the bail period.

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TO-DAY ON RADIO

Bombay I & II Programmes

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a.m.
11-30 Time Signal. Indian Music.
p.m.
12-55 Market Rates. Announcements. 1-5 European Music. 5-30 Bombay Radio Orchestra. 5-40 Sunderabai. 6-0 Marathi Poems. 6-10 Mushtaq Husain. 6-30 To Bhumijan 7-30 Mushtaq Husain. Ghazal and dadra. 7-50 Kashmir. 8-0 Sunderabai. 8-30 Commercial News. 8-45 Birha. 9-0 News (H'ndustani). 9-15 Sunderabai.

TRANSMISSION III
p.m.
9-30 News. 9-45 Relationships. Any Employee to Any Employer, talk by M. Raj. 10-0 Ena MacDonald: Soprano. 10-20 Reginald Dixon: Cinema Organ. 10-30 Radio Salon Orchestra.

Delhi Programme

VUD 840 metres, 836 kc/s.
TRANSMISSION I
a.m.
7-0 Morning Delight. 7-50 Instrumental Interlude. 8-0 Merry Melodies. News. 8-40 In English. 8-50 In H'ndustani.

TRANSMISSION II
noon.
12-0 For All Tastes.
p.m.
1-0 Ajmer Listener's Choice.

TRANSMISSION III
p.m.
6-0 For all Tastes: Classical and Light. 6-30 For Women Only. Radio Gazette, songs. 7-0 Chand Khan. 7-20 Afzal. For Villagers Only. 8-15 As You Like It. 8-55 Musical Variety. News, Weather Report. 9-15 In Hindustani. 9-30 In English. 9-45 Interlude. 10-10 World Affairs. B B C Relay. 10-25 Informal Studio Concert. 10-55 News.

Delhi—II Programme

TRANSMISSIONS I & II
31.3 metres, 9.590 kc/s.
Programme as in Delhi I
TRANSMISSION III
60 metres 4.995 kc/s.
p.m.
6-0 to 7-30 Programme as in Delhi I. 7-30 Cock-tail Time. 8-0 to 8-15 Thumri's All. 8-15 to 9-45 Programme as in Delhi I. 9-45 Prem Prem: Love Lyrics. 10-0 to 10-10 Sarode Solo. 10-10 to 10-25 Programme as in Delhi I. 10-25 Merry Melodies. 10-55 News.

Calcutta Programme

VUC 370m. 810 kc/s.
(Add 24 minutes to all timings for Calcutta time.)
p.m.
12-36 Pianoforte Recital. 12-51 Jack Daly. 1-6 Henry Croudson. 1-21 George Formby and his Ukulele. 1-36 Kathakatha. 2-6 Mahanisha (contd.) 5-6 For Countryside. 5-36 Abbasuddin Ahmed. 5-51 Kanavati. 6-6 Betar Orchestra. 6-16 Abbassuddin Ahmed. 6-31 Kankavati. 6-46 Memories of a Grandfather. 7-21 Betar Orchestra. 7-31 Sunil Bose. 7-51 Music and its Value in Education talk in Bengali by A Sanyal. 8-6 News, Weather (Bengali). 8-21 K. C. Dey. 9-1 Commercial News, Weather Report. 9-6 News. 9-21 Vocal Recital. By K. Norman. 9-36 Women and Legislation talk by Hasina Murshed. 9-51 Orchestral Interlude. 9-56 Table Set For Two. By Sacha Guttry.

Peshawar Programme

VUP 200 metres, 1,500 kc/s.
p.m.
5-30 Announcements in Hindustani. 5-40 Raziyah Begam. Naat and ghazal. 6-0 Inayat Husain Hazrovi. 6-20 Sarod, Violin and Tabla. 6-25 Munawwar Sultana. 6-45 An hour with villagers. 7-45 Short Stories: By S. Ghaznavi. Raziyah Begam. 8-20 Ban ki Chiriya, by Khyber Orchestra. 8-30 Munawwar Sultana. 8-50 Khyber Orchestra. 8-55 Inayat Husain Hazrovi. News, Weather. 9-15 In Hindustani. 9-30 In English. 9-45 Piya ki Yad. 10-0 European Music.

Lahore Programme

VUL 276 metres, 1.086 kc/s.
p.m.
6-30 Nirmala Devi. 6-50 Abdul A. K. Binkar of Patiala. 7-5 Classical Music. 7-30 For Countryside. 8-0 Conventions and Symbols in Urdu Poetry. Raqeeb; Sheikh; Zahid; Naseh, talk in Hindustani by A. L. Tapish. 8-15 Abdul Aziz Khan. 8-30 Nirmala Devi. 8-30 Abdul Aziz Khan. News Weather. 9-15 In Hindustani. 9-30 In English. 9-45 Insurance Agent, talk by R. N. Rihan. 10-0 Classical Music. 10-35 Nirmala Devi.

Lucknow Programme

VUW 293.5 metres, 1,022 kc/s.
p.m.
6-30 Qamar Khan. 6-50 Zohrabai. 7-20 Krishna's Flute: A Feature. 8-0 Yusuf Ali. 8-15 Qamar Khan. 8-15 Zohrabai. News, Weather Report. 9-15 In Hindustani. 9-30 In English. 9-45 Kamala Jharia. 10-10 Qamar Khan. 10-30 Zohrabai. 10-50 Lucknow Orchestra.

B. B. C. Programme

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GSC (to 8-30 p.m.) 17.79 Mc/s 16.86m.)
GSF 15.14 Mc/s (19.82m.)
GSD (from 9-15 p.m.) 11.75 Mc/s (25.53m.)
p.m.
7-27 Announcements. 7-30 Courtney Hope. 7-45 B B C Empire Orchestra. 8-45 Take Your Choice. 9-30 News. 9-50 Violincello Recital. 10-10 World Affairs, talk by Sir Malcolm Robertson. 10-50 to 11-45 p.m. Arabic Programme.

RAILWAY TIME-TABLE

G. I. P. RAILWAY
(ON FORCE FROM APRIL, 1938)
Arrivals at and Departures from Victoria Terminus.

	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M.
Madras Mail	6 00	22 10
Peshawar Lucknow (Exp)	6 15	23 00
Calcutta Fail (Nagpur	7 40	17 45
Calcutta Mail (Cheoki)	9 00	20 50
Madras Express	10 10	15 00
Poona Mail	10 25	17 30
Punjab Mail	11 15	18 50
Nagpur Express	13 50	21 35
Poona Fast (Pass)	17 00	11 50
Poona Express	19 24	8 05
Allahabad Express	20 15	7 00

ARRIVALS AT BALLARD PIER

	Arr. H.M
Frontier Mail (Saturdays only for Homeward Passengers	8 40

B. B. AND C. I. RAILWAY
Arrivals at and Departures from Bombay Central.

	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M.
Ahmedabad Passenger	5 35	13 50
Delhi Express	6 00	22 06
Gujarat Mail	6 45	20 25
Kathiawar Mail	7 25	21 50
Frontier Mail	8 15	21 30
		(Mon) Sat)
*1 Flying Ranee, Bulsar	9 15	15 50
	(Mon)	(Sat)
*The Flying Ranee, Surat	9 48	15 10
The Flying Ranee, Surat (Except Monday)	10 58	
The Flying Ranee, Surat (Except Saturday)		18 05
Ahmedabad Passenger	14 00	22 25
Kathiawar Express	18 45	8 45
Baroda Passenger	20 33	9 25

*If Monday is a bank holiday these trains will run on Tuesday.

AIR MAIL TIMINGS

LONDON-BOMBAY (JUHU)
Planes call at Karachi, Bhuj and Ahmedabad
Arrivals: Monday, Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday, at 1 p.m. Delivery: 3-30 p.m.
BOMBAY (JUHU)—LONDON
Planes call at Ahmedabad, Bhuj and Karachi.
Lates hour of posting for mails at G P. O. 8-30 a.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday. Departures: 10-15 a.m.
BOMBAY (JUHU)—COLOMBO
Via Hyderabad, Madras and Trichinopoly.
Departures: Monday, Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday 1-30 p.m.
COLOMBO—BOMBAY (JUHU)
Arrivals: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday, 9-45 a.m.
BOMBAY (JUHU)—KATHIAWAR
Arrivals: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 11 a.m.
Departures: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday 7-15 a.m.

The opening ceremony of the Gandhi Dharmarth Aushadhalaya at Hapur was performed by Pandit Pyareylal Sharma, ex-Minister for Education, United Provinces when the elite of the town were present.

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Sunset: 7h. 15m.

POSTAL NOTICE

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AMATEUR DRAMATICS

The B E S T Amateur Dramatic Society will present "Guiding Light" to-day (Wednesday) at 9-30 p.m., at Victoria Theatre, Grant Road. The proceeds will be donated to the Bombay Provincial Branch of the Safety First Association of India.

H. P. T. COLLEGE, NASIK

A Nasik correspondent writes:—"Out of the 77 students, who appeared at the I. A. Examination this year, 5 passed in the Second Class, and 39 passed in the Pass Class. The percentage of passing is 57."

TRAVANCORE UNION

The Travancore Union, Bombay, will be 'At Home' to Sardar K. M. Panikkar of the Patiala State, who is in Bombay in connection with the meeting of the Princes' Chamber, to-day (Wednesday) at 8-30 p.m., (S. T.), at Iswara Nivas, Kohinoor Road, Dadar, (near G. I. P. Railway Station.) All members are requested to be present.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

BROADWAY—"On Again Off Again". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
CAPITOL—"The Hit Parade." Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
CENTRAL—"Gopal Krishna". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
EROS—"My Man Godfrey". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
EXCELSIOR—"The Big Broadcast of 1938". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
IMPERIAL—"Dynamite". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
KOHINOOR—"Dhruva". Time as usual.
KRISHNA—"Dhruva". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Umaji Naik". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
MINERVA—"Devdas". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
NEW EMPIRE—"Goldwyn Follies." Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
OPERA HOUSE—"Swarajya Seemever". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
PATHE—"Hawaii Calls." Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
PLAZA—"Kunku". Daily at usual time.
REGAL—"Sally, Irene and Mary. Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
ROXY—"Nirmala". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
SUPER—"State Express". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
WELLINGTON—"Big Town Girl". Daily at usual time

POSTAL NOTICES

As Thursday (9th inst.), is a P. O. Holiday on account of the King's birthday, latest hours of postings of letter and parcel mails for the offices in Iraq, Iran and Persian Gulf at the Bombay G. P. O. will be as follows:—

Unregistered correspondence up to 11 a.m. on 9-6-1938.

Registered correspondence up to 5 p.m. on 8-6-1938.

Parcels up to 5 p.m. on 8-6-1938.

Latest hour of posting in Town Sub-Offices will be notified by those offices and it will be so regulated as to ensure the receipt of the postings in the Bombay General Post Office, in time to be included in the last despatch from that office.

RAMWADI FREE EYE HOSPITAL

The following is a statement of the attendance of the Ramwadi Free Eye Hospital for the month of May 1938. The total attendance was 5,825, out of which 2,641 were males, 1,811 were females and 1,737 were children. 132 operations were performed. The daily average attendance was 224 during 26 working days of the month.

SIR M. N. CHARITABLE DISPENSARY

The total number of patients treated in this dispensary during the month of May 1938 was 1,374 of whom 679 were males and 695 females.

MUSICAL ART SOCIETY

The 65th general meeting of the Musical Art Society will be held on Saturday, 11th June at 9-30 p.m. (S.T.) at Laxmibaug, Bhatwadi, Girgaum. A programme of vocal music and dance by Bai Menkabai of Belgaum has been arranged after the meeting.

Prominent In Matric Results

Twenty-nine students out of 30 sent up by the Babu Panalal P. Jain High School for the Matriculation this year, were successful. Of these one stands second and another eighth in the list of successful candidates.

CHIKITSAKA SAMUHA SCHOOL

The Chikitsaka Samuha Shirolkar High School, Bombay, had sent up 71 students for the Matriculation examination of the Bombay University this year, out of whom 54 came out successful, this gives a percentage of 75.

MARATHA HIGH SCHOOL

Thirteen out of 23 candidates sent up for the Matriculation examination of the Bombay University were successful.

The results look out at 57 per cent. result approximately.

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Sir Rahimtoolah Chinoy presided over the first presentation of Safety First Association Certificates for Motor drivers who underwent their course of lectures during the past year. Picture shows the Candidates eligible for certificate.

DRIVERS MUST PLAY ROLE OF 'GENTLEMAN OF THE ROAD'

Sir Rahimtoola Chinoy Urges Need For Road Courtesy In Presenting Certificates To Pupils Of Learner-Driver Classes

"Road courtesy is a necessary complement in the fabric of modern civilisation to cultivate, and driving must be viewed not as a right, but as privileges to be enjoyed by those who are physically, mentally and morally and by training an aptitude capable of assuming such a responsibility" said the Hon'ble Sir Rahimtoola Chinoy in the course of his speech to the Learner-Drivers at the First Presentation of the Association's certificate on Tuesday. 40 certificates were presented by the President:

Mr. A. S. Trollip, the Hon. Joint General Secretary requested Sir Rahimtoola Chinoy to give a few words of advice and present the certificates.

TRAFFIC PROBLEMS.

While expressing his pleasure to be present in their midst Sir Rahimtoola said that the extensive use of automobile brought about the problem of moving traffic efficiently and expeditiously, and the still more serious problem of moving it safely. With the six films on motoring they had shown the Drivers what to do and what not to do. Driving, he advised, was a full-time job. Drivers should take charge of their cars and see that they attended to driving only and nothing else. They should give all signals in proper time, obey the Indian Highway code and show consideration for others and behave as gentlemen of the road. They had the opportunity through these films of seeing what good driving was and effect improvement in driving in this great city. As the Drivers had been taught well, it was for them to put into practice what they had learnt and strive to make a first class job of it, never ceasing to do their best.

SET EXAMPLE TO OTHERS.

In conclusion he said 'you, gentlemen, have the opportunity of doing you job thoroughly well; you, too have the opportunity of improving driving in Bombay and I hope you will go out on the road, reflecting the credit of the schools that you have been taught by, and realising your responsibility to the community, will behave as gentlemen of the road.

A. S. Trollip said that the Commissioner of Police who was interested in these classes had asked him to express his personal regrets for being unavoidably absent. He said the Association would shortly announce in the Press a cine competition for a standard film to be shot in Bombay which would prove an example for other countries to follow.

Mr. T. C. V. Iyer, in charge of the Publicity, urged the need for publicity to facilitate the organisation of similar activities in other parts of the country.

TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN)

With a monsoon, theft cases now tend to increase in the Suburbs. Several cases of house-breaking and theft have already been reported to the police, but very few have so far been detected. This is mainly due to insufficient public co-operation.

In the Bandra area these cases have till now been petty cases, but in the Vile Parle Municipal area and places further, many house-breaking cases of a very serious nature have been registered.

In order to lessen the number of these cases the Parle Police request all residents in the Vile Parle Municipal area, to keep their windows closed during the night or during the day.

It is reported that a gang of cycle thieves are now operating in the suburbs and the suburban cyclists would do well to take good care and see that their cycles are not lying about.

BROKE OPEN LOCK

Narayan Hari Rajwatker, of Khar, has registered a complaint at the Bandra Police Station to the effect, that on the night of June 2, some one broke open the lock of his room, opened his trunk and then forced an entry into the bungalow of his master and opened cup-boards, etc. Since the owner is out of Bombay it is not known whether anything has been stolen.

Another complaint from Khar has been lodged by Mr. N. Jay, Shanker Dave. It is alleged that on the said night the lock of complainant's room was broken open and one trunk containing clothes, etc. was rifled.

Another complaint from Khar comes from Mr. K. M. Mehta, who alleges that his nephew Mr. S. Mehta, staying at 4th Road, Khar, has been robbed. It appears Mr. S. Mehta on the night of June 4 left for Surat and in his absence the lock of his room was broken open.

ARRESTED BY NIGHT PATROLS

Ramjan Abdulla and Alabux Kallu, have been arrested by the night patrol of Vile Parle, on suspicion.

It appears that on the night of June 5, while a man from Vankola, was fishing in a pond near the pipe lines leading to Kurla, he noticed two men moving in a suspicious manner. Afraid to raise a cry he followed the two men and fortunately seeing the night patrol he informed the policemen about these suspicious characters.

The men were stopped by the night patrol and examined, when on their person were found silver anklets of the value of Rs. 20, a torch and some cash.

DANCE AND WHISTDRIVE

The Bandra Gymkhana, is holding a dance on June 9, open to members and their friends. The Spotlights Dance Band is to play for the occasion. This dance is being held in the pavilion of the Gymkhana on Perry Road, and is scheduled to start at 7-30 P.M., winding up in the early hours of the morning.

On Saturday, June 11, the G.I.P. Railway Institute, Bandra, will, I understand hold a whist drive followed by a 'social,' in their premises on Hill Road.

Mr. H. J. Mulleneux, Chief Electrical Engineer of the G.I.P. Railway, the chairman of the social committee of this Institute, is striving hard to make this function a success and I would not hesitate to think it is going to prove a success. This is due to start at 8-30 P.M.

DEATH SENTENCE CONFIRMED

High Court's Judgment In Khandesh Murder Appeal

The death sentence passed on one Kashya Pahadsing by the Sessions Judge of West Khandesh was confirmed by their lordships at the vacation sitting of the High Court on Tuesday, and his appeal was dismissed.

The appellant was convicted of the murder of one Shenfadya.

The prosecution case was that the appellant was on terms of illicit intimacy with the deceased's wife Rupi and he decided to do away with him as the deceased used to come in their way.

In the lower Court, the woman was charged with abetment of the murder but was acquitted for want of evidence, while the appellant's brother was sentenced to one year's rigorous imprisonment for causing the disappearance of the evidence of the offence.

INDIAN PROGRESSIVE GROUP

Mr. Abdur Rehman Siddiqui, M.L.A., will speak on "The Muslim League, and what it stands for" at Green's Restaurant on Friday June 10 at 6-30 p.m.

Ghastly Sight At Ghodbunder Rd.

Lorry Runs Over Girl Who Is Killed Instantaneously: 6 Injured When Another Lorry Turns Turtle

A ghastly sight was in store for those who passed along the Ghodbunder Road, on Monday afternoon. A heavy lorry had run over a young girl and completely smashed her head. Death was instantaneous.

Only a few hours before, another lorry had turned turtle, just a few yards away and six persons were injured.

The Ghodbunder Road is notorious for such accidents and rash driving of cars and lorries has only added to the number of fatalities. One has to visit the office of the Superintendent of Police at Bandra to realise the absolute necessity of having strict control over drivers of fast moving vehicles.

A Map of the Ghodbunder Road is hung in the office with hundreds of tiny flags all along, indicating the number of accidents during the past six months. There are several black flags to indicate fatal cases.

It should be a great relief to many to know that very soon there will be a speed limit on this road. No vehicle will be allowed to move faster than 30 miles an hour. This ought to be brought down to 20 miles, if there is to be no accident at all on this road.

At about 3 p.m. on Monday, a heavy lorry was moving fast on the road towards Andheri. Between Andheri and Vile Parle, there is a small hamlet, Virle. Two girls who were playing at this place are said to have been crossing the road from East to West, just when the lorry was going past the village. One the girls escaped the lorry, but Bhagubai Shiva (5 years) was knocked down by the lorry, which is stated to have been on the wrong side of the road. As the girl fell down, a rear wheel of the lorry passed over her head completely smashing it. The brain burst out and the girl died on the spot.

A. W. Peter, who was driving the lorry No. T 9439, was arrested by the Vile Parle police who are investigating. Peter has been released on bail.

LORRY TURNS TURTLE

A few hours earlier, at 8 a.m. to be exact, a lorry No. W 8729 driven by C. W. Borde was proceeding along Ghodbunder Road, with a cleaner and five workmen. Near the entrance to the Aerodrome, the lorry skidded and turned turtle. All the occupants excepting the driver were injured. The District Magistrate, who happened to pass along the road, took the injured men to the Andheri hospital, where they were treated and two of them were detained.

According to the driver of the lorry, a bus was moving ahead of him. Near the aerodrome, it suddenly stopped. With a view to overtake the stationary bus, the driver applied brakes, but the lorry turned turtle.

Mr. J. Hobson, Superintendent of Police is in charge of investigations.

To-day At The Taj:

EXHIBITION OF WATER COLOURED PAINTINGS WILL BE OPENED

Sale Proceeds Earmarked For Establishing National Art Gallery At New Delhi

A hundred and twenty water-coloured paintings valued at Rs. 16,000 and set up against stuccoed walls of the Banquet Hall at the Taj, were shown and explained to a "Chronicle" representative in a preview for an exhibition to be opened on Wednesday (to-day) by His Highness the Jamsaheb of Nawanagar.

Half of the sale proceeds would be earmarked for a National Art Gallery which would be established at New Delhi.

Paintings included those of life sketches of Buddha from his birth till his attainment to "Nirvana" and scenes from Omar Khayam, painted by Mr. Ranadda Ukil, the celebrated prize-winner for mural paintings in London House, and also others by the students of the Ukil School of Paintings, New Delhi.

The Exhibition is organised by the All-India Fine Arts and Crafts Society and admission will be by catalogues valued at annas 8 each.

It is learnt that negotiations are being conducted with Bombay Artists to hold another exhibition in Bombay where Bombay paintings will be also kept for exhibition, in case an arrangement comes off between Mr. B. Ukil, Honorary Secretary to the All-India Fine Arts and Crafts Society and some of the leading Bombay Artists.

While appealing for a national Art Gallery, the Secretary of the Society states: "There are various Museums in the country housing magnificent collections of Indian sculpture. There are a few galleries where Indian paintings, chiefly of the Moghul and Rajput periods, may be seen; but nowhere is there a place where modern Indian Art can be seen in its proper perspective."

"Modern Indian Art," the Secretary further states in the course of his appeal, "may now be said to have won its place—albeit a modest one—and the time has come when a systematic attempt should be made to make representative collection of the work of Indian painters working in the various parts of the country."

The estimated cost of the building together with some mural paintings, for the National Art Gallery whose sight has already been pitched upon, in New Delhi, would be about a lakh and a half rupees and it is proposed to start the construction of the main Hall as soon as a sum of Rs. 50,000 has been collected. It is expected that the hall would not only house representative collections but also would serve the purpose of the Annual Exhibition of Modern Indian Art, organised under the auspices of the Society.

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THE MATRICULATION STANDARD

Writing on he Matriculation Problem the other day, we condemned the recent tendency in several Universities to restrict unduly the number of students in the colleges by suddenly forcing up the Matriculation standard in order to reduce unemployment among the educated; and we pointed out that the right way to reduce such unemployment was, not to reduce the number of the educated, but to increase their employment by developing commerce and industries As regards the plea that raising the matriculation standard is desirable in order to raise the level of instruction both in schools and colleges, we expressed the view that the right way to raise the level was to improve the curricula and the teachers. This point we must consider at greater length than we could on the last occasion. To take up the question of teachers first, we note with regret that the Bombay Presidency is extremely backward in respect of trained teachers. The latest report on Education in India states: "The percentage of trained (secondary) teachers remained stationary at 57.4 The percentage is satisfactory in the case of Madras, Punjab, Burma, Central Provinces and United Provinces, but ludicrously low in the case of Bombay and Bengal....It is discouraging that such an advanced province as Bombay should have only 21 per cent of its male teachers trained. ....Bombay, however, actually is handicapped by the inadequacy of the provision for the training of teachers There is only one training college with only 75 male scholars on its rolls." The Presidency should have at least one training college in each Division, training teachers both for the B. T. degree and the Secondary Teachers' Certificate. Those who are so keen on starting separate Universities for Maharashtra, Gujerat and Karnatak may well take some special trouble over the foundation work of having at least one Training College for each University.

End This Scandal

At least as important as training teachers is to pay them decently. But the teaching profession, considering its importance and the preparatory training and cost it involves, is perhaps the worst paid in India. The Report on Education in India in 1935-36 states: "In many provinces the pay of the teachers is lamentably low. In non-Government schools the conditions of employment are often most disheartening and unsatisfactory. Nowhere do efforts seem to have been made to improve their lot." These remarks apply accurately enough to conditions in our own Presidency. Indeed, in recent years the lot of teachers in non-Government schools has gone from bad to worse owing to the reduction in Government grants to their schools. But they do not agitate for the redress of their grievances, being unorganised, possessing an exaggerated sense of dignity, and perhaps afraid of being victimised They just keep body and soul together by giving private tuition, morning, evening and night. But this sad and scandalous state of things ought not to be allowed to go on indefinitely. The Report quoted above rightly observes: "The teacher is the pivot of the school and in the interests of efficiency managing bodies of the schools should strive to aim at a contented staff." Government also owe a duty in this matter. Their grants to schools should be more generous than they have been for the past many years. The teachers, too, on their part, should realise that they will not get all their righgts unless and until they agitate for them in an organised manner.

The Curriculum

Next in importance to the teacher is the curriculum. Much attention has been given during the last many months to the primary curriculum. But that for the matriculation has not yet received the attention it deserves. We shall not enter into the details of this question at present. We shall only content ourselves with making a few broad suggestions which are not new but which need repetition. First and foremost, the medium of instruction and examination in every subject other than English must be the student's mother-tongue; as it is in every country outside India. But so long as English is the predominant medium of instruction in colleges, a fairly high standard in the subject must be insisted upon at the Matriculation. That is best attained if the subject is taught by teachers who are specially trained for the purpose and if they are assisted with good guide books. Finally, a third language ought not to be made a compulsory subject at the matriculation. It should be only an optional subject for the benefit of those who wish to excel in languages.

Indian Motor Industry

We have come across a number of reports during the last few weeks regarding the opening of an automobile factory in India. It is understood that Mr. V. V. Giri, Industries and Labour Minister, Madras, is actively interesting himself in this question and that he proposes to convene a special conference of representatives of the Provincial Governments and leading industrialists in the country for the purpose. While we are not unmindful of the innumerable difficulties in the way, there is no reason whatever why India should not manufacture her own motor-cars. Indeed, she would have been doing so long since had there been a national government to foster such industries. While we may have to rely for the first few years on foreign technicians, the necessary expert staff can be easily trained within less than a decade. Crores of rupees are being sent abroad every year for the purchase of motor cars, trucks and incidentals and the sooner the drain is stopped the better it will be. There is a vast scope for the growth of such an industry in a country of long distances like India, and neither will there be any lack of capital. With the support of the provincial Governments the success of the Indian motor industry is more than assured and we trust, therefore, that Mr. Giri will carry his scheme into execution in the near future.

French Frontier Outrage

The daring aerial outrage on the French frontier is undoubtedly an extremely sinister one. Nine "mystery" 'planes crossed the Pyrenees Frontier fifty miles into French territory and actually bombed certain villages. We do not think there can be any question as to their identity. Encouraged by the moral and in a way, material support of Great Britain, General Franco is taking liberties with France hoping thereby to intimidate that country into more completely identifying itself with the policy of British realism vis-a-vis Spain. This view is borne out by the significantly prompt unanimity with which the Italian Press seeks to lay the blame on the republicans suggesting that it is they who have perpetrated the outrage because they want, in their desperation to force a European war. It is a subtle move and has been quite likely taken with calculated deliberateness. For, the suggestion of a war is expected to frighten France and to stimulate Britain to further efforts to put pressure on her. One wishes that the French Government will have the courage to take the advice of M. Blum's paper, the "Populaire" which says that "an end must be made to these aggressions without delay and that Burgos must be warned that severe reprisals will be made, if General Franco does not immediately cease his dangerous game.

FIGHTING THE SCOURGE OF TUBERCULOSIS

Problem Of Early and Accurate Diagnosis

(CONTRIBUTED)

"I have heard physicians state that they could diagnose pulmonary tuberculosis in its earliest stages by physical examination of the chest. At the time I received the statement with scepticism and now I know that it deserved flat disbelief. No special skill of eye or ear or hand will enable any individual to detect the earliest lesions of tuberculous disease without further investigation and a period of observation. In a few exceptional cases I have found physical signs of the disease before any other positive evidence was obtainable but in reviewing any large number of cases one is forced to the conclusion that in early diagnosis the method of physical examination alone would be completely unreliable; it is a broken reed."

This remarkable statement was made by Dr. Geoffrey Marshall, Physician of Guy's Hospital who contributed recently to the discussion in the section of Tuberculosis at the Annual Meeting of the British Medical Association; and it should easily enable us to understand the tragic phenomenon that a whole group of diseases like tuberculosis and cancer present in their high incidence and mortality rate despite organised efforts at control with measures of therapy.

Strategy of Attack

In recent years, medical and health authorities have come to recognise the importance of prerecognise the importance of preventive medicines in solving the problems of such diseases as have not been brought under effective control while conditions of public health in the civilised countries of the world have unquestionably improved and medical science made such great progress. While the necessity of early diagnosis remains in every disease as the first condition of successful treatment tuberculosis is one of the diseases in which it is practically indispensable if cure is to be hoped for. Naturally enough, most authorities recognise the strategic role of early diagnosis and are concerned in perfecting the methods that could achieve the best results in early detection of the disease. It is a fallacy to imagine that tuberculosis can be brought under control by merely improving facilities for treatment because, although adequate treatment is both necessary and urgent, real control could be established when measures of 'case-finding' and prevention are adopted on an extensive nation-wide scale.

Psychological Reorientation

As regards early diagnosis the general practitioner is the one who can play the most important part in the detection of the disease and eventual salvage as indeed, Dr. Marshall points out in his paper under notice and the agitation in the reform of medical education and organisation of medical services gains its impetus from this consideration. Improvement in diagnostic skill is dependent, in a large measure, not merely on experience but also on more adequate training such as, for instance, has been demanded for panel doctors in Great Britain. And even where this is not possible through the inherent defects in existing organisation in medical studies, a great deal could be done to retrieve the situation by influencing the psychological attitude both of the general practitioner and the public and instilling into their minds greater sense of responsibility and disease-consciousness.

How To Diagnose

Dr. Marshall while he pronounces physical excamination as unreliable for the purposes of accurate, early diagnosis, stresses the importance of clinical examination and investigation into such factors as family history, history of the patient with reference to the possibility of exposure to injection and other particulars likely to indicate susceptibility to the disease. He further describes the symptoms in early stages and includes among them fatigue, loss of morning appetite, loss of weight and the condition characterised as neurasthenic. In young girls amenorrhoea indicates the possibility of tuberculosis when pregnancy is out of the question and another unmistakable symptom is sudden haemoptysis—'a copious haemorrhage, a cupful or more of bright liquid blood welling up into the mouth in a young subject who has no other symptom or sign of disease'. This

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BRITAIN WON'T FIGHT GERMANY

Undercurrents Of European Politics

(By Charles Joseph Newton)

I have just been reading Madame Tabouis's "Blackmail or War" (Penguin, 6d). The diplomatic Editor of "l'Oeuvre" queries; Why should the democracies let matters drift until the worst happens? And further on she remarks: "But there should be a far greater measure of agreement between London, Paris and Moscow than actually exists." Why is such an agreement still not arrived at, although the world already asks, will Britain go to war, by which is intended a war against Germany. Let me give a clear negation to this, which even Madame Tabouis, who, the editor of Penguin Series informs us, has important diplomatic connections, regards as inevitable. Britain under the National Government will never entertain a war against the German Reich. Rather she would act to prevent France from effectively intervening and implementing her obligations in Central Europe and to Russia.

International Position

Consider the imminent logic of the International situation. Great Britain, even with France, Italy and the rest of Europe on her side cannot win a war against Germany to-day, any more than she could in 1914 without Russia. Mussolini's plans for a Roman Empire would not allow him to range himself with France which is now Italy's principal obstacle to a romanization of the Mediterranean. Any assistance from America, save a benevolent neutrality may be discounted on the present temper of her people and their Neutrality Act (which is the Monroe Doctrine made airtight and also President proof); and as for Japan, she would continue to use a Europe "infelix" to push on her 'hegemony over the Asiatic mainland and the Pacific. This last factor could alone deter, on account of their vast commitments, several nations from deciding on war.

England And Russia

That Russia would intervene, should a major war break out, seems certain. The Soviets are only too ready to be helpful. In the past such help would be irrefusable; for quick attack. Russia's air-arm, agreed by observers to be the finest in the world, her army, fatalist and the "steamer-roller" nightmare of East Prussia; for a wearing-down defence, her wide-open spaces, so awkward to the niceties of a 'total war' theory; is both a costly dissipation and a diversion to be avoided. The Franco-Russian pact, if not watered down by inspired counsels, will certainly be the determining factor in the issue of war or peace, defeat or victory. Yet, it cannot be without significance that the British Government has started talks and made pacts with the so-called aggressor nations and violators of treaties and even signed a naval limitation treaty with Poland (two light cruisers and a small contested bit of coastline) while with Russia, no, not a word. Why? Because the existing regimes in the two countries have no common basis. Political and economic reasons do not constitute all the conditions needed for concord or otherwise between States.

Their Co-operation Impossible

Hesitation in International Law in naming the invader as the aggressor nation arises from the fact that the conditions obtaining in a state may menace the security and the 'status quo' of its neighbours and a state so being endangered may be considered not unjustified in intervening early as the best means of preserving its integrity. Thus many consider that an attack by Britain and others on the U.S.S.R. would be legitimate self-defence; that such intentions can be seriously entertained was revealed by the recent trials in Russia. In circumstances like this to hope for any concerted action by these two is absurd. Ideology, specially on matters of economic constitution is regarded to-day as far more important than political or commercial considerations.

Economic Crisis

The four years, 1929-33, of the Economic Crisis have caused a transition as momentous as that due to 1914-18. The latter, besides other things, gave us Bolshevism; the former brought about the real Corporate State (before 1929 Mussolini's ideas could hardly be said to have crystallised). Fascism of late is described by Socialist writers as militant capitalism. Militant, may be, but capitalist hardly, if one considers the amount of control and interference big business is subject to both in Italy and Germany. The idea evidently seems to be surmised from the close connection that exists between capitalism and the State in Fascist countries. But this relation is unnatural as it has been inflicted on the former. Fascism could not be acceptable to capitalism but if no alternative offers the latter will obviously prefer the former to complete socialization, or communism, or even its less extreme form. Bolshevism.

Intolerable Position

The conditions of Soviet Russia are intolerable to the Governing classes of Britain, and consequently to seek her assistance against Germany would be regarded as suicidal and scarcely entertainable. To none is this more evident than to Hitler and his advisers. Herr Von Ribbentrop, Europe's astutest Foreign Secretary, has absolutely no misgivings on this. They know that any action by the Fascist powers will result in the usual brave words, very likely ships and troops will move, probably to unknown destinations, screaming headlines will appear in Leftist papers with perhaps a few grave words in the "Times," and nothing will happen. The contradictions in the European 'data' have effectually muzz-

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FRANKLY SPEAKING

CZECHS' TROUBLES

The internal troubles of Czecho-Slovakia, so far from subsiding, seem to be growing both in intensity and extensiveness. A Father Hlinka has risen to help Herr Henlein in the good and godly work of completely dismembering the country. The holy Father of the "Clerical Slovak People's Party" demands Slovak autonomy, be it in partnership with Czechs, Poles or Hungarians! The significance of Father Hlinka is further revealed by his declaration that "We are enemies of communists and do not approve of an "entente" with the Soviet." It is obvious from all this that the inspiration, behind him is that of the very Christian Nazis. The People's Party, it is a relief to know, represents merely a quarter of the Slovaks. But it is strong enough to create troubles for Czecho-Slovakia, both internal and international.

JAPAN'S ECONOMIC PLIGHT

The Japanese official news agency at Tokio has reported a sensational news of a secret agreement between China and the Soviet. This, we fear, is more in the nature of anti-Chinese propaganda than a reality, with the desire, in the background, of forcing Russia to discontinue even the little assistance that China is receiving from that country. But we wish that the report were true In the first place Japan is not at "war" with China, as M. Litvinoff so effectively reminded the Japanese once, so that Japan cannot justly complain of any help that Russia may give to China. In the second place, the friends and prosecond the friends and protectors tectors of China whose duty it was to help her have basely deserted their obligations and left China to the tender mercies of the Japanese

INDIA'S PROUD RECORD

If there was any Power courageous and honourable enough to stand by its duties to China, that brave country would not take long in driving out the aggressor inspite of his resort now to cold-blooded and calculated brutalities. Japan in fact, is already in a bad plight. Her Finance Minister now openly confesses in a warning to his people that "a lowering of the standard of living may be unavoidable." The plight of Japan, is further confirmed by figures published in Geneva by the International Peace Campaign according to which the boycott of Japanese goods in Asia has met with extra-ordinary success inspite of the attraction of their cheapness. In this connection it is with the most profound pleasure that we note that the total decrease in Japanese exports to India during January and February was as much as 35 per cent as compared with last year. This is a decrease to be proud of.

A NEWSPAPER CENTENARY

We heartily felicitate the "Times of India" upon its completion of a century of very enterprising existence. It is easily one of the earliest newspapers to be started in this country and perhaps the only one to reach the venerable age of a hundred years. Beginning in 1838 as a bi-weekly under the name "The Bombay Times and Journal of Commerce", it has passed through various vicissitudes, until it came to be recognized as one of the leading Anglo-Indian journals. The "Times of India" has brought out a handsome Centenary Supplement to commemorate the occasion. Printed on art paper, and lavishly illustrated the special number contains a number of articles, which deal with the march of progress during the last century. We wish our contemporary many more years of a successful career.

USE RADIO TO FIGHT TYPHOID

Bombay citizens will do well to follow carefully the instructions issued by the Municipal Executive Health Officer to protect themselves against typhoid, which is reported to be prevalent in the city. It is satisfactory to note that the Municipality is taking prompt steps to check the spread of the disease both by chlorinizing the supply of water and by issuing posters and handbills explaining the precautionary measures. In this connection it will also be useful to use the local radio station to broadcast authoritative medical opinion on the best methods of warding off typhoid. The ultimate responsibility, however, rests with the citizens themselves who should, by following the instructions given to them, be specially careful about the food they eat and the water and milk they drink.

Combating Typhoid

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—I read in to-day's papers that the Bombay Health Officer draws attention to the prevalence of Typhoid Fever in the city and he reminds the public that this disease is caused by water, milk and food contaminated by the typhoid germ.

Typhoid fever, indeed, has been prevailing in Bombay for months and it is stated that it is even worse in the suburbs particularly at Vile Parle.

I am not well acquainted with the sanitary condition of the suburbs, but those who are, say it is very bad. Since we get our milk supply mostly from these quarters one cannot be too particular about the purity of the milk thus obtained. If my information is correct the bhayyas of the suburbs, who own most of the stables there, are the persons mostly responsible for the insanitary condition of those places. It would appear that they use the water from wells and tanks that are highly polluted.

To me it is a wonder that there are not more cases of typhoid in Bombay, considering the manner in which milk and other articles of food are handled in the city.

One does not see much of milk sellers, who come to the city early in the morning, but during the enforcement of the Curfew Order when I had occasion to see a very large number of them carrying their milk to the bazaar, I was simply dumbfounded to notice that all of them carried the milk in big open copper vessels with only some straw at the top. The two copper vessels are carried at the ends of a bamboo and pole swung across the shoulder and they are low enough to collect the dust and dirt of the road. A couple of monsoons ago, I was horrified to see these vessels dipping in the water of a flooded street.

I am surprised that the Bombay Municipality has relaxed the rule of having these pots covered properly as was insisted upon by the late Dr. Turner. Incidentally, I may say that during the tenure of office of Dr. Turner, Bombay was practically free from typhoid fever.

The Bombay Municipality is still far behind the Municipalities of other cities, with reference to the question of protecting foodstuff from dust dirt and adulteration. To allow such things, really amounts to criminal neglect. In this respect, Calcutta is far ahead of Bombay. I was agreeably surprised when I was there, last year, to see that all foodstuff that is hawked in that city is well protected in glass cases and particular care is taken with milk.

This letter is already too long but in my next I shall give a description how foodstuffs are handled in Bombay, from the article one buys on the pavement exposed to all the abominations one can magine, to those that are sold in eating-houses, in markets, as well as those hawked about in dirty streets and lanes.

—Yours, etc.,

A DOCTOR.

WITHOUT COMMENT—

"The total decreases in Japanese exports to India, the Straits Settlements and the Dutch East Indies for January and February, as compared with last years, are respectively, 35 per cent. and 52 per cent.

—Report of International Peace Campaign of Geneva.

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According to a report in a morning contemporary the meeting of the reorganisation committee of the Chamber of Princes, will last for a week and "the first four days will be entirely devoted to the discussion of the proposal for the reorganisation of the Chambers and the last two days for public questions such as Federation, Responsible Government etc."

We flatly refuse to believe it—we mean the last.

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In an interview regarding the Congress-League negotiations Sir Nazmuddin of Bengal says "Our reply to the Congress President is such that I am confident about the success of the unity negotiations."

Let us hope they are slightly different from the outpourings of Mr. Jinnah's and Mr. Fazlul Haq's respective hearts the other day.

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Sir Lancelot Graham, Governor of Sind, has postponed his departure on leave until August 1.

The disappointment is compensated for by the news that our Mr. J. H. Garret is, however, going on leave till August 1.

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ANTI-HINDI MOVE IN MADRAS.

Hunger Strike Before Premier's House

—Headlines.

The idea being "We would rather starve unto death than learn."

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Says a report: "It is understood that Dr. Seyss-Inquart, the Reich Stalthalter, has reconstituted the Austrian Cabinet.

So, the Doctor has not yet had a state halter round his neck.

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Another British Steamer has been bombed in Alicante by rebel aeroplanes.

And there will be another protest to General Franco on behalf of the British Government.

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According to the Official Japanese News Agency of Tokio, it is reliably reported that an important secret agreement has been concluded between China and the Soviet.

The information is, we fear, too good to be true.

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Nine "mystery" planes from Spain are reported to have bombed French villages across the Pyrences.

We reliably predict that the British Government has no grounds for establishing their identity.

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According to Sir Rahimtoola Chinoy "Road courtesy is a necessary complement in the fabric of modern civilisation."

Especially during the present weather when motorists pass pedestrians with serious consequences to the latter's fabrics.

Red Cross Unit Area Turned Into Shambles

Scores Of Cantonese Including Students Killed

Plight Of Refugees: Doctors' S. O. S. To Americans

CANTON, June 6.

To-day's air raids were the most destructive and most intensive hitherto. They continued unceasingly for 40 minutes from 10-39 a. m. Forty to fifty 'planes participated in the raids and are believed to have dropped nearly a hundred high-power bombs.

Bombing of French hospital, near Pearl River Bridge, is presumed to be the Japanese objective. The roof of the hospital was marked with the Red Cross and the French Flag.

At least 45 were killed in the Chinese Red Cross Unity next to the hospital and several in the nearby Y.M.C.A. Bodies were flung on the road included students, boy-scouts and Red-cross volunteers.

Chinese authorities state that bombs demolished classrooms in the Sun Yat Sen University. The school at Tungshan was hit, many students being among the casualties.

Many parts of Canton are now almost deserted. Thousands of Chinese refugees are squatting on the pavements near the international quarter, clutching at children and the few belongings.

Six leading American doctors who have been labouring day and night attending to the wounded in the air-raids have broadcast urgently appealing to the Americans to apply measures to halt the brutal massacres of Chinese civilians. —Reuter.

"NO BREACH OF INTERNATIONAL LAW"

TOKIO, June 7.

After the British protest against the bombing of Canton the French Ambassador called on Horinouchi vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs and expressed the earnest desire of the French Government that the Japanese air force should refrain from bombing Canton.

Horinouchi is said to have pointed out that Canton is well-fortified and claimed that air-raids accorded to international law.—Reuter.

Sequel To Canton Air-Raid

CANTON, June 7.

There were two air-raids today. The damage in the first was slight but the second raid put the water works and power station out of action. Shameen, foreign quarters, is without current.—Reuter.

'PLANE FOUND WRECKED

Fate Of Military Machine Flying From Buluwayo To Pretoria

CAPETOWN, June 7.

A military aeroplane, which disappeared yesterday carrying three British Air Force boxers, a trainer and two South African Air Force boxers, while flying from Buluwayo to Pretoria, was sighted from the air wrecked in the jungle north of the Limpopo River. Rescuing 'planes had to alight fifteen miles from the spot. Bush rangers are now cutting a way through the bush.—Reuter.

PUNJAB CONGRESS DISPUTE SETTLED

Council Of 7 Persons To Carry On Work In Province

LAHORE, June 7.

A settlement of the dispute among the Congress workers in the Punjab, for which Mr Jairamdas Daulatram was deputed by the Congress Working Committee, has been reached.

According to the terms of the settlement, a Council of seven persons, Dr. Satyapal, Dr. Gopichand Bhargava, Lala Dunichand, Pandit Santanam, Lala Shyam Lal, Mian Iftakharuddin and Mr. Ramchandra, a Socialist, has been set up to carry on the whole Congress work in the province. Dr. Satyapal will be the President of this Council while the Secretary will be chosen from Dr. Gopichand's Party. The decision of the Council in all matters will be considered as final.

An Election Board consisting of Lala Shyamlal, Pandit Santanam and Lala Dunichand will control Congress elections. The Board will be responsible for setting up the election machinery and hearing objections etc.

Election petitions arising out of the last Congress elections will, however, continue to be heard by the Election Enquiry Tribunal consisting of Lala Deshbandhu Gupta, Lala Dunichand and Mr. Trilokchand Kapur. Fresh elections will be held in cases where petitions are accepted.—United Press.

ELECTION TRIBUNAL SUBMITS REPORT

LAHORE, June 7.

The Punjab Congress Election Tribunal which was appointed by Mr. Jairamdas Daulatram and presided over by Lala Deshbandhu Gupta of Delhi, after dealing with over twenty election petitions arising out of the last elections to the Provincial Congress Committee, has submitted its Report to-day to Mr. Daulatram.

The Tribunal will, it is understood, hear the rest of the petitions and other complaints about irregularities. next week.—United Press.

JAIRAMDAS FOR AMRITSAR

For Inquiry Into Election Complaints

LAHORE, June 7.

Mr. Jairamdas Doulatram motored to Amritsar this evening to hold an enquiry into the circumstances leading to the defeat of Dr. Kitchlew in the Punjab Assembly by-election and the defeat of the Congress nominee in the election of the President of the Amritsar Municipal Committee.

Representations containing serious allegations of betrayal on the part of certain Congressmen of Amritsar on two occasions it is reported had been made to the Congress high command The latter asked Mr. Jairamdas Doulatram to proceed to Amritsar and make an enquiry into the affairs.

Mr. Doulatram is expected to come to Lahore either to-night or to-morrow morning.—A. P.

HARTAL AT VALA

Sequel To Arrest Of Leader And Volunteer

(From Our Correspondent)

VALA, June 7

Early in the morning of a Prabhat Feri was started with three volunteers singing National Songs.

At nine o'clock a public meeting was held presided over by Mr. Kashiram Lallubhai President of Satyagraha Sammittee who exhorted audience to fight out the prohibitory orders but he was not allowed to speak further and was arrested there and then.

Hearing the news of arrest of Mr. Kashiram all business men began to close their shops. Complete Hartal was observed.

After the arrest of Sjt. Kashiram Lallubhai a volunteer was arrested. Mr. Kashiram was handcuffed.

BOMBING OF CIVILIANS

British Ambassador's Report On Spanish Rebels Raids

LONDON, June 7.

Mr. J. H. Leche, British Minister in Spain who personally visited Granollers after the bombing on May 31, reported to London that there were no military objectives in the centre of the town There were few factories and an where most casualties occurred. aerodrome on the outskirts of the town.—Reuter.

FRANCO RESUMES OFFENSIVE

British And Dutch Ships Hit

SARAGOSSA, June 7.

After a lull of several days, General Franco has resumed his offensive along the whole line of the Teruel and Castellon fronts.

A Madrid message says:—The British steamer "Thorpe Haven" was badly damaged in the air raid on Alicante. There were no casualties.

AIRRAID CASUALTIES

Twenty persons were killed in a Nationalist Airraid to-day on Segorbe on the road to Teruel in the line of Nationalist advance, following the airraid yesterday, when twelve were killed and 29 injured.

A Valencia message says:—Six Nationalist planes participated in an airraid this morning. They appeared to concentrate against four British ships moored alongside the quay, far from other possible objectives. Two bombs exploded on the quay alongside the British steamer "Thurston." Government 'planes chased away raiders. The casualties are not yet known.

From Barcelona: A Dutch collier was bombed and damaged during an airraid here last night. The first officer was seriously injured and the British non-Intervention Control Officer was slightly hurt.

Since hostilities started in Spain, 58 British ships have been bombed or attacked by submarines, out of which six have been sunk. Fourteen British sailors were killed and nearly 50 injured.—Reuter.

INVESTIGATION INTO AIR-RAIDS IN SPAIN

LONDON, June 7.

It is understood that the British invitation to Norway, Sweden and the United States to participate in the International Commission to investigate air bombardments in Spain is generally favourably received, but further consideration is necessary and the scheme may have to be modified before it can gain complete acceptance.

At present the proposed Commission will establish its base in France, ready to respond to invitation to visit either territories in Spain to inspect the bombarded towns and ascertain whether or not they contained military objectives.

Governments represented on the Commission will be in no way responsible for its reports, the intention being rather to put world opinion in possession of facts. —Reuter.

Norway & Sweden Accept Br. Invitation

OSLO, June 7.

The Foreign Minister announced that Norway has accepted the British Government's invitation. He added Sweden nas also accepted.—Reuter.

FRESH REBEL AIR RAIDS

MADRID, June 7.

Twelve people were killed and 29 wounded at Segorbe which is 'en route' to Teruel and five were killed and two wounded at Vall De Uxo on the Mediterranean coast in Nationalist air raids.—Reuter.

27 Killed In Air-Raid

VALENCIA, June 7.

It is officially stated that the death-roll in the air raid on Alicante to-day is 27.—Reuter.

SAVARKAR ON HIS 'COMMUNALISM'

Muslim Mass Contact More Dangerous Than Mahasabha, He Says

POONA, June 7.

"Myself being as zealously anxious as the United Provinces Government in stamping out communal troubles between the Hindus and the Muslims, I cannot but point out to the U. P. Government and other Congress leaders of that persuasion, that this trick of anathemising the Hindu Mahasabha leaders just for parading Congress impartiality in the eyes of the Muslims to cater for their favours, is bound to fail to soothen the Muslim susceptibilities which, in fact, are hurt more to the quick by the Mass Contact Movement persisted in by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and by the very sight of the Tri-colour flag than by any activities of the Mahasabha leaders."

Thus observes Mr. Vianayakrao Damodar Savarkar, President of the Hindu Mahasabha, in the course of a Press statement over the question of the United Provinces Government's alleged confidential circular against communalist incitement and characterising Mr. Savarkar as one of the "undesirable communalists."

Continuing, Mr. Savarkar says that he was not astonished as this as the old bureaucracy had characterised him as an undesirable Nationalist, while the present Congress Ministry (of the United Provinces) called him an undesirable communalist, as his present communalist stand was nothing but another name for true Nationalism.

"Didn't Maulana Shaukat Ali, in whose capacious pocket even Gandhiji does often find a happy abode, warn us that the Muslim Mass Contact Movement cannot but end in a fearful communal tension and did not the riots in the United Provinces and elsewhere carry out those well-meant words of that soothsayer long before my United Provinces tour?

"If the U. P. Government really mean to allay with the Muslims, then they should strike at the root and penalise the Muslim Mass Contact Movement, which is veritably proving a Muslim Clash Movement and characterise Pandit Nehru also as an undesirable communalist."

Concluding the Hindu Mahasabha President declares:

"So far as the Congress Flag is concerned that, too, will be surrendered forthwith to Messrs. Jinnah, Huq, Shaukat Ali & Co." —United Press.

BR. JOBLESS ON THE INCREASE

LONDON, June 7.

British unemployment on May 16 totalled 1,779,000 which is 31,000 an increase of compared with May 4, mainly accounted for by the temporary stoppages in the coal and cotton industries.—Reuter.

The safest place in Britain is the Scilly Isles, according to the Ministry of Transport.

While over 226,000 people were injured on British roads last year, there wasn't a single accident in the Scilly Isles.

It sounds as if it were we who the sillies.

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India as well as lessons in rural sanitation and hygiene.

A specially formed board will launch a mass literacy campaign by opening night and day schools in suitable areas, specially in backward areas and amongst tea garden labour settlements

One of the schools will be an experiment of the Wardha scheme of education in its primary courses curriculum.

COMPULSORY PRIMARY EDUCATION.

The reference of the Congress scheme of imparting primary education amongst the illiterates reminds me of the recent statements made by the Director of Public Instruction for Assam.

He holds the view that if the present Ministry desires popularity and stability, they should spare no time in plunging headlong into carrying out a free primary education scheme for all alike.

At the same time there is a plan of Maulvi Munawar Ali, Minister for Education, who desires to change the whole educational machinery of the province during his office in the Cabinet.

Why Pay Jinnah's Price?

Dr. Moonje On Futility Of Unity Talks

NAGPUR, June 7.

Let the Congress come out boldly and concentrate on promoting the movement for Muslim Mass Contact as it was done in the case of Hindus, which alone would enable Mr. M. A. Jinnah to realise his position in its proper perspective, declares Dr. B. S. Moonje, the Hindu Mahasabha leader, in the course of a lengthy press statement this evening on the communal unity talks.

Mahasabha's Stand

He adds: "We shall be by the side of the Congress so long as the movement is based on thorough Nationalism. There is no other honourable alternative."

WHY PAY JINNAH'S PRICE?

Dr. Moonje expresses the view that at this moment the Congress is approaching the Muslim League for communal settlement in the hope that the League will support the Congress in opposing Federation. But in Federation under the present India Act, he observes, Residual Powers will be concentrated in the Central Government, where the Hindus are bound to be in a large majority.

How can Mr. Jinnah, Dr. Moonje asks, support Federation? Why should Congress pay a price for a thing which must happen whether the Congress wishes it or not. Mr. Jinnah has been demanding that the Residual Powers, instead of being concentrated in the Central Government, must vest in the Provincial Governments. That is why Mr. Jinnah was insisting on separation of Sind. He wanted that Muslims should be as much at par as possible with Hindus so far as the Hindu and Muslim Provinces were concerned. The position under Federation is, however, entirely different.

Alluding to the discussions and the decision of the Muslim League Council at Bombay, Dr. Moonje says that Mr. Jinnah is "humiliating the Congress and bringing it down from a national organisation of all Indians to the level of a mere communal party like the Muslim League."

DANGER AHEAD

If, by threats of communal disturbances and bloodshed, Congress could be frightened and stampeded into submission and surrender, one result will be a kind of Civil War among the Hindus themselves. The Congress Hindus will combine with Muslims and "fight Hindus of the Mahasabha, who will never accept such humiliation and surrender and agree to throttle growing nationalism."

While stating that the Mahasabha looks upon the Congress as a national organisation which alone can displace British Imperialism and take its place, Dr. Moonje asserts that Congress has no right constitutionally and legally to represent the communal interests of Hindus. Hindus, therefore, are bound to repudiate any communal pact if made.—A.P.

Our Assam Letter

ABOLITION OF DIVISIONAL COMMISSIONERSHIPS

Assam Premier's Reply To Secretary Of State: Prohibition Plans: War Against Opium Menace: Congressmen March Forward

(From Our Correspondent)

TEZPUR (By Air Mail).

The question of carrying out an experiment in prohibition at Palasbari, a small Collector's Circle in Kamrup District in the Assam Valley, is engaging the attention of the Government of Assam for some time now.

The Excise Committee which met some time ago recommended Dhubri Sub-Division, but there being 8 tea gardens, a match factory and other labour centres the apprehension of serious disturbances following the introduction of prohibition stood in the way of selecting Dhubri for the purpose.

Maulvi Munawar Ali, Minister of Excise, has asked the Excise Commissioner, Assam, to make an estimate of the total loss of revenue and cost involved in giving effect to total prohibition at Palasbari.

The contemplated prohibition will embrace all drugs and liquors country and foreign.

PROHIBITION IN OPIUM

Though Assam is known to be the leading opium smoking province in the country, it is hoped that issue of fresh licences to all persons will be stopped totally within 1939, following the acceptance of the recommendations of the Excise Committee by Maulvi Munawar Ali.

But the Excise Commissioner holds a contrary view. According to him complete stoppage of opium will mean the creation of the smuggling menace, the suppression of which will tell upon the finances of the Government.

"Unless a uniform policy is followed," says he, "in Bengal, Burma, Bhutan and other bordering lands around Assam, and frontiers are well guarded there cannot be total prohibition in opium for Assam even at least in the Assam Valley"

In all probability, however, the Governor will be requested to introduce the present Assam Government policy of eradicating the opium evil in the excluded areas of Assam.

DIVISIONAL COMMISSIONER AGAIN

The Secretary of State for India recently addressed a dispatch to the Government of Assam stating that he was not satisfied with the reasons advanced by the Assam Legislature in favour of the abolition of the posts of Divisional Commissioners.

Sir Saiyid Saadulla, Premier, has replied supplementing former communications with further reasoning, pressing at the same time abolition of one of the posts in terms of his statement given in the Lower House.

The Secretary of State in reply has asked for more information on various other topics and what the actual savings the Government of the province will make by abolishing the posts.

Incidentally the question of compensating the Indian Civil Servants for taking away one of their accruing rights has also cropped up.

The government is said to be keen on abolition of one of the posts first and to watch how the arrangement with one Commissioner only works in actual practice and then move for abolition of the other posts as well. When the step becomes a 'fait accompli' the Government will come forward with the necessary amending legislation doing away with the statutory duties now vested in the Commissioners.

CONVENTION POSTPONED

The proposed convention of the Local Board Congress members, which was advertised to be held in June next under the presidentship of Dr. Saiyid Mahmud, the Bihar Minister at Borpeta, has been postponed indefinitely on account of the inability of the president-elect to come over to Borpeta, as the cause of declination is said to be that he has no time at present on account of very heavy pressure of work.

The Tezpur Congressmen are known to be the band of busiest workers in the province and their nation-building work has charmed the Congress circles outside on more than one occasion.

The formation of a district volunteer corps, the initiation of mass literacy drive and organisation of tea garden labour are the main projects for the coming year as decided by the Tezpur District Congress Committee last week.

The training camp will be situated at a monastery, within the atmosphere of an ancient Ashrama (hermitage) about two miles from the city. Youths, about 50 for the first year, will be taught the rudiments of civics, rural economics, history of the Congress and its struggle for the attainment of Purna Swaraj for

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Premier Hodza's Plain-Speaking To Slovaks

PERSONS INJURING CZECH UNITY WILL BE SEVERELY DEALT WITH

PRAGUE, June 6.

A vigorous reply to Father Hlinka's campaign for Slovak Autonomy was made by Premier Hodza, himself a Slovak, addressing a meeting of the Slovak Agrarians, which was attended by delegates from the Slovak Social Democrat Party.

Premier Hodza declared that Czechoslovak unity was the basis of their state. They could not allow anyone to endanger or diminish it.

"Against those who try to injure the good name of unity of the Czechoslovak Republic, we shall immediately declare war which will be conducted by constitutional and lawful means".

Premier Hodza declared that the republic had fully carried out its obligations towards Slovakia and the Slovak Popular Party was not entitled to speak in the name of the whole Slovak people, but only in the name of its constituents.

HENLEIN RETURNS

Herr Henlein returned to Asch from Germany. Nothing transpired to regard whether the trip had any political purpose.

AMANULLAH'S DAUGHTER WEDS

ROME, June 7.

The civil marriage of Princess Abeda, third child of ex-King Amanullah of Afghanistan, to Prince Ahmedalliwali of Afghanistan was celebrated at Campidoglio by Prince Colonna, Governor of Rome.

The Moslem religious ceremony was held at ex-King Amanullah's Villa, yesterday at which King Victor Emmsanuel, Queen Elena and Princess Mariam were present.—Reuter.

YARDLEY TO REPLACE HARDSTAFF

LONDON, June 7.

Yardley, the Cambridge captain and Yorkshire cricketeer, has been invited to replace Hardstaff.

Sinfield has accepted the invitation to replace Clay in the England Test team.—Reuter.

Hardstaff Not To Play In 1st Test

LONDON, June 7.

Hardstaff injured his hand while attending to his car last night.

The doctor has stated that Hardstaff is unable to play in the first test.

Clay withdraws from the England Test team due to leg trouble. —Reuter.

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Exploring India's Mineral Resources

82 Earthquake Shocks In A Year

That the year under review has been one of considerable activity for the Geological Survey of India is revealed in the report of that Department for 1937 published to-day.

Advice of the Department was sought on a variety of problems from water-supply to gold prospecting. Officers of the Department were deputed to accompany the Sino-British Boundary Commission in the Wa States and the Shaksgam Expedition to the Karakoram under the leadership of Mr. E. Shipton and valuable information has been collected.

During the year, 82 earthquake shocks were reported to the Geological Survey of India, of which 52 were in the Himalayan belt, 28 in Burma and only 2 in Peninsular India. Only one of these did any damage, that of the 14th November 1937, which originated in the Hindu Kush mountains North-West of Drosh in Chitral, and was felt over much of the North-West Frontier Province and the Punjab; buildings were damaged as far south as Peshawar and Rawalpindi.

GEOLOGY FOR LAYMAN.

At headquarters in Calcutta rearrangements in the laboratory were completed in order to cope to the best advantage with the large number of enquiries received, and a rock-section cutting machinery and an automatic section polishing machine were installed.

In the Museum the show-cases were re-conditioned, and the meteorite collection was overhauled and largely added to by exchange with foreign museum.

In the fossil galleries rearrangements have been carried out with a view to increasing their popular appeal. Labels in Bengali, Hindi and Urdu have been printed, describing in simple language some of the more interesting forms and the restoration drawings displayed illustrate the various stages in their evolutionary history. A general account of the exhibits in the Siwalik gallery has been prepared as a wall chart by the Palaeontologist and translated into Bengali Hindi and Urdu.

ECONOMIC SURVEYS.

Economic enquiries were conducted by members of the Department on bauxite in Jashpur State; Coal in the Hazara and Kohat districts, North-West Frontier Province, Miawali district, Punjab, and the Garo Hills district, Assam; gold in Jashpur State and in the Katha district and Mongmit State, Burma, and on iron-ore in Bastar State, Eastern States Agency, and clays and building materials at several localities.

Numerous occurrences of other minerals were examined by members of the Department and found to be of no economic importance, and at the headquarters office over 600 determinations were made of specimens sent in by the public and advice given on their economic utilisation if possible.

A number of enquiries was also received by the Geological Survey of India regarding building materials, particularly with reference to cement industry. Summarised reports on the various limestone, clay, gypsum and coal occurrences of India were in reply issued by the Department.

A survey was made of the Mardan district in the North West Frontier Province for its marble and dolomite deposits and the conclusion reached that perhaps the largest deposits of pure white statuary marble in the province will be found in the Gundai Tarako, the best sites for development being in the neighbourhood of the main peak of the ridge.

GEOLOGY AND POWER FROM WATER.

The Department's advice was sought on engineering schemes such as the preservation of the Elephanta Caves, the Malakhand Hydro-electric Scheme and power for Hazara district, North-West Frontier Province, the Pench River (Central Provinces) and the Tons River (Rewah) Hydro-electric Schemes, the Nindeh reservoir, United Provinces, and water supply schemes in Rewah, Darjeeling, Belgaum, Jubbulpore, Baluchistan, Kangra and Jashpurnagar.

GEOLOGICAL MAPPING.

For actual geological survey purposes the Department is divided into four circles: Burma, North-Eastern, North-Western and Southern. Since the 1st April 1937 the first-named has been separated under the designation of the Burma Geological Department, but the Geological Survey of India supplies the personnel for it.

MINERAL PRODUCTIONS IN INDIA

SIMLA, June 6.

Gold weighing approximately 3,30,690 ozs. was produced from the Kolar gold fields in Mysore during the year 1937. The production from the operations of the Burma Corporation Ltd. at Bawdwin amounted to 894 ozs.

An account of other important mineral productions of India during the year 1937 shows that the production of silver from the Burma Corporation Ltd. in Bawdwin mines amounted to 6,180,000 ozs. and that from the Kolar gold mines in Mysore State 28,959 ozs

IRON & LEAD ORE

About 2,522,730 tons of iron-ore were produced by the principal mining companies in Bihar and the Easter States Agency. The production by the Burma Corporation Ltd. from their mines at Wetwun totalled 25,426 tons.

The production of lead-ore at the Burma Corporation's Bawdwin mines amounted to 476,896 tons; the total amount of metal extracted was 77,650 tons including 1,150 tons of antimonial lead.

MANGANESE & COPPER

About 978,193 tons of manganese ore were produced during the year as compared with 813,442 tons in the previous year.

The production of copper ore by the Indian Copper Corporation Ltd. totalled 371,458 tons. A total of 374,742 short tons of ore was treated in the mill and the production of refined copper amounted to 6,830 long tons.

About 7,750 tons of copper were produced by the Burma Corporation Ltd.

The production of chromite during the year amounted to 9,197 tons in Bihar, 27,209 tons in Baluchistan and 26,013 tons in Mysore State.

COAL AND PETROLEUM

About 22,313,205 tons of coal were raised from the coal mines worked under the Indian Mines Act as compared with 20,585,691 tons raised in 1936.

The production of petroleum in Assam amounted to 65,718,437 gallons, in the Punjab 10,026,560 gallons and in Burma 273,807,758 gallons.

SALT

The production of salt amounted to 1,898,157 tons including 53,813 tons in Burma and 355,166 tons in Aden.—United Press.

ANGLO-INDIANS & PORT BLAIR

MADRAS, (By Mail.)

Dr. H. A. D'Silva, a medical officer of Port Blair, who is now in Madras on a short visit, addressed the Anglo-Indian and Domiciled European Association of South India on "Colonisation of the Andamans."

Since the Government of India had decided to withdraw political prisoners and not to send any more convicts to the Andamans, Dr. D'Silva said, the question was being asked what was to become of Port Blair, for the upkeep of which the Central and Provincial Governments spent a good deal of money.

He added that the Anglo-Indian community in India should send out small parties to Port Blair, who must consult the local authorities there, examine the conditions and find out the possibility of colonisation.

Rev. Dr. R. Bazely, who presided, observed that if they went to the Andamans for colonisation and build up small and large scale industries, they were bound to succeed.—United Press.

Repairs Of Archaeological Monuments

SIMLA, June 7.

As a result of the permanent location of the office of the Director-General of Archaeology in Delhi, the administration of the archaeological monuments in Delhi will now be taken over by the Assistant Superintendent, Archaeological Survey, at headquarters under the direct supervision of the Director-General of Archaeology.

Repairs etc. necessary for the preservation of these monuments were hitherto carried out by the Central Public Works Department on payment by the Archaelogical Survey of India of agency charges over and above the works outlay.

As a result of the change now effected, these repairs will henceforth be done by the Department itself with a consequent saving of about Rs. 2,000 a year.—United Press.

Copper Workers' Firm Stand

(From a Correspondent.)

MOSABONI, (By Mail.)

The strike situation has entered a new stage. The workers have become more determined to fight to the finish since the heartening news of the satisfactory settlement of the Tatas and Cable workers reached them. The strikers resent very much the unnecessary stationing of the police force and the Gurkha Military force. In the mass meeting yesterday, presided over by Mr. Jagannath, the strikers passed a resolution urging on the Government to withdraw all such unnecessary police forces, promulgate Sec. 144 Cr. P. C. against the Company and appointing conciliation Board and if the management is unwilling to accept the same to cancel the Mining Certificate and mining rights to the Company.

COPPER FACTORY WORKERS.

Due to the closing down of most of the departments of the Copper Works and the unwise policy of the management to deduct all loan instalments from their wages for May, there was great tension among the men owing to the immediate prospect of starvation. Mr. J. M. Mitra, President of the Copper Corporation Workers Union, wired the Premier of Bihar and the Deputy Commissioner of Singhbhum, praying for immediate Government intervention in the tense labour situation created by the Company's unwise move.

It is understood that the Government of Bihar is taking interest in the plight of the poor workers and the Deputy Commissioner, Mr. Thadani, is understood to have moved in the matter already and to have suggested to the management sanctioning of compulsory leave to all men on half pay, paid in advance to enable them to proceed home with their families.

PRIVILEGES OF LEGISLATORS

Bengal Speaker's Draft Circulated

DARJEELING, June 7.

The "United Press" learns that Mr. Azizul Huq, Speaker of the Bengal Legislative Assembly, has prepared a draft of legislation relating to the rights and privileges of the members and Speakers and Presidents of the Legislatures.

The draft deals with Provincial Legislatures and is the outcome of discussions at the Conference of Speakers and Presidents of Provincial Legislatures held at Delhi in January last. It has been circulated among the various Speakers and Presidents of the Central and Provincial Legislatures for their views prior to its introduction.

In this connection, it should be remembered that the Government of India Act, 1935 foreshadows such legislation, both in Federal and Provincial Legislatures, to define the rights and privileges of the members of the Legislatures.

It is likely that a Speakers' Conference may again be called to consider the provisions of the relevant legislation prepared by the Bengal Speaker.—United Press.

DHARWALA RIVER ASSUMING ENORMOUS PROPORTIONS

Kurigram In State Of Danger: Damage Worth Rs. 35,000 Estimated

KURIGRAM, June 6.

The river Dharwala has assumed enormous proportions and the rapid progress of erosion is threatening the very existence of the town itself. The spacious building of the Kurigram Model Co., Ltd. the houses of several prominent citizens, the Certificate Office, the Muktears Association buildings and a few others have been washed away. Damage is estimated at about Rs. 35,000.

The Sub-Divisional Officers bangalow is now about 20 yards off from the river. The Government Treasury building and the Civil and Criminal Court buildings are now situated at a distance of only 70 yards from the river side. It appears that if the erosion continues only a day or two in this way, all the Government buildings including the Government quarters will be swallowed by the river.

No protective measures of any kind have been taken this year by the Government. It is likely that the Sub-Divisional headquarters will be shifted elsewhere.—United Press.

HARTAL IN SIKAR ENDS

SIKAR DAY ON 19TH INSTANT

SIKAR, June 6.

The Secretary of the Public Committee of Sikar wires:—

The 'Hartal', observed as a protest against the lathi charge made on Thursday last was ended yesterday (Sunday), evening, according to the decision of the Public Committee, which was announced by Thakur Umed Singhji of Nimuj at a public meeting held in the Garh. Thakur Umed Singhji is a son-in-law of Rao Raja Kalyan Singhji of Sikar

Messages to end the Hartal were sent to Ramgarh, Lachhmangarh, Fatehpur and Reengus and other places, where complete Hartal was being observed.

The Thakur Saheb of Nimaj is staying here and advising the public to remain peaceful, non-violent and non-aggressive.

Mr. Satyadev Vidyalankar, Editor of "Hindustan," and Mr. Ramgopal Vidyalankar, Editor of "Veer Arjun," have come over here from Delhi to study the situation personally. They visited Reengus on their way to Sikar.

A deputation, consisting of Messrs. Chiraji Lal Agarwal, Chiranji Lal Misra and Kastur Chand Patni, office-bearers of the Jaipur Rajya Praja Mandal Conference recently held at Jaipur under the presidentship of Seth Jamnalal Bajaj, came over here from Jaipur.

They have issued a long statement to the Press, admiring the brave stand taken by the public of Sikar and condemning the unnecessary provocation that is being offered by and through the demonstrations of the Jaipur Police and Military

DEPUTATION TO A. G. G.

A deputation of fifteen representatives of Sikar State, has proceeded to Mr. Abu to present a memorial to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, which has been signed by 40,000 adults of the State. The memorial prays, amongst other things, for the restoration of the Rao Raja (to the Gadi) and the removal of Captain Webb and Mr. Bapna.

PROTEST TO I G.

The Public Committee had lodged a protest with the Inspector-General of Police of Jaipur, who is here at present, against the behaviour of the Police and Military.

The recent Jaipur State "Gazette Extraordinary," announcing the terms of reference of the Enquiry Commission appointed by the Jaipur State, has not at all been welcomed and the public is not in a mood to co-operate with the Commission, especially under the present circumstances when they are being 'persecuted' by the Jaipur Police and Military.

The Public Committee is issuing an appeal for observing June 19th as the "All-India Sikar Day."

Fighting The Scourge Of Tuberculosis

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phenomenon is invariably, it is maintained, an indication of tuberculosis lesion of the lung.

In such a case, (Dr. Marshall proceeds) announce the diagnosis and order your patient to bed for two months on the spot. Do not wait to investigate, for such haemorrhages often occur at such an early stage that all investigations prove negative.

Efficacy of Tests

With the exception of cases that come to notice through complications developed even before the focus of infection in the lung has assumed as distinctly detectable aspect there is a great number of those in which diagnosis, in the absence of usual or recognised signs of tuberculosis, becomes difficult. In discussing therefore the best methods of investigation of the disease in early stages in such circumstances, Dr Marshall refers to (1) examination of the sputum obtained with provoked expectoration, (2) radiography of the chest and (3) recording of the temperature as fairly reliable if they were pursued carefully. As regards tests like those of tuberculin he holds that, while they are useful for detection of the bovine tuberculosis their utility for human subjects does not possess the same significance. Excellent as the various tuberculin tests are in eliminating tuberculosis in the cattle and certifying purity of milk and also in detecting the disease in infants, they are held to be unreliable for other uses. Examination of the blood of suspects also does not yield satisfactory results in diagnosing early tuberculosis according to experience and in the circumstance, the diagnostic routine referred to above remains the most reliable and easily accessible to all.

Effective Anti-T.B. Measures

In concluding his discussions Dr. Marshall calls attention to the essential problem of the earliest diagnosis progress in which, as we know from experience, can alone guarantee really effective check on the scourge of this disease. As this physician states:

The public is being educated with regard to symptoms which should cause them to seek advice; but that is not sufficient, for there are cases in which the disease may be detected before the individual has any warning of an impending disturbance of health,

and expresses the hope:

The day may come when it will be possible to take an annual X-ray photograph of the chest of every young person from the ages of 14 to 24, and a big step will have been taken towards the early diagnosis and the eradication of pulmonary tuberculosis. In the meantime let us press for the application of this system where it is most needed—amongst the nurses and students at our hospitals, the students at our universities, and the factories which employ the young girls of whom this disease takes so large a toll.

PROHIBITION IN C. P.

Minister Optimistic: Area To Be Extended In October

AKOLA, June 7.

Interviewed by a press representative as regards the working of prohibition in the Province, the Hon. Mr. Gole, Minister for Excise and Revenue, Central Provinces, said that the idea of prohibition had attracted the attention of the people and it was gratifying to note that the people, themselves, were approaching the Government for introducing prohibition in places where it is not in force now.

In those places, where prohibition has been already introduced, it is proving a great success and the women and labourers seem to have very well appreciated prohibition.

AREA TO BE EXTENDED

Mr. Gole added: "I wish the people continue to give me the same enthusiastic support as they have done so far. I desire extending the area of prohibition from October next."

Asked about the collection of land revenue in the Province, the Revenue Minister said that the difficulty of collecting land revenue is still being felt, especially in the seven talukas of Berar, and the collections there are not quite satisfactory.

LAND REVENUE REBATE

"Of course", added Mr. Gole, "I quite realize that, owing to the very low prices of cotton and the comparatively low yield, the people find it difficult to pay the land revenue, but considering the facility that the Government have given to the people, they should come forward and pay at least the assessment, even though it may mean a little inconvenience."

So far as reduction of 25 per cent. in the land revenue is concerned, all those occupants who have paid the full land revenue, can get back the rebate on an application made to the Revenue authorities concerned. Otherwise, that rebate will be automatically credited towards the payment of next year's land revenue.

NO COERCION

The Minister went on to say that much is said of coercive processes adopted by the Revenue authorities for the recovery of land revenue, but, on personal enquiries made by him, he (Minister Gole) found that coercive processes were resorted to only in cases of deliberate defaulters, who, although, they were able to pay, had withheld the payment.

"However", concluded Mr. Gole, "if any hard cases are brought to my notice, I shall not fail to enquire into them and give relief, wherever it is necessary".—United Press.

Fruits Research For Berlin

MADRAS, June 7.

It is learnt that the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research has deputed Mr. K. C. Naick, Superintendent of the Fruit Research Station at Kodur (Cuddapah District) to attend the ensuing Agricultural Conference at Berlin.

Mr. Naick will leave for Berlin in the first week of July next.—United press.

WHEN CRAIK WILL ADDRESS PUNJAB ASSEMBLY

No Legislative Business Will Be Transacted On June 20

SIMLA, June 7.

Sir Henry Craik will address the members of the Punjab Assembly on June 20. There will be no legislative business to be transacted on that day.

Of the 12 sittings arranged for the Punjab Assembly, June 29 and July 1 have been allotted for the disposal of non-official bills and non-official resolutions respectively.

Although the programme of official business is not yet available, it is likely that the Punjab Debtors' Protection Bill and the Motor Traffic Offences Bill, report of the Select Committee on which is awaited, may be proceeded with in this session

The presentation and consideration of supplementary demands will take about two days.

Among the non-official Bills now pending are: (1) Muslim Wakf Bill; (2) Punjab Anti-'Phooka' Bill; and (3) Punjab Tenancy Amendment Bill.

Notices have been received for the introduction of the following Bills: (1) Anti-Beggar Bill, (2) Prohibition of 'Malba' Bill, (3) Alienation of Land Amendment Bill, (4) Municipal Amendment Bill, (5) Relief of Indebtedness Bill, (6) Hindu Charitable and Religious Endowment Bill, (7) Punjab Customary Law Amendment Bill, and (8) Punjab Hindu, Sikh and Jain Marriage Law Amendment Bill.—United Press.

ANTI-HINDI MOVEMENT

More Persons Arrested In Madras

MADRAS, June 7.

Two more persons Subramaniam and Kothandaraman, stationed themselves this noon in front of the Premier's residence carrying anti-Hindi placards. Both were arrested by the police and produced before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, who directed the release of Subramaniam on bail, he having undertaken to refrain from such activities. The other was ordered to be remanded. After the arrest of these two, four others placed themselves at the entrance of the Premier's residence. All were arrested.

BOUND OVER

Govindaswami, aged 18, who was arrested at midnight yesterday, was produced before the Chief Presidency Magistrate today and was charged under Sec. 71 of the Criminal Law Amendment Act.

Taking his young age into consideration and on an undertaking given by him that he would not mingle with the movement any more, the Magistrate consented to release him on bail on a personal bond of Rs. 100 and two sureties for the like sum. He was, however, ordered to be kept in remand, pending deposit of the surety money, till June 13.

It may be recalled that, of the three persons arrested on Friday last in connection with the anti-Hindi campaign, C. D. Nayagam and Shanmugananda are on bail and Poonuswami is on remand till the 17th instant—A. P. and United Press.

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No Concessions To Harijan Students

Bombay 'Varsity Senate In Session

MOTION FOR REFERENCE OF REGULATIONS BACK TO SYNDICATE LOST

The Bombay University Senate continued its session on Tuesday afternoon with Mr. V. N. Chandavarkar in the chair.

Mr. M. R. Paranjpe brought forward a motion to refer back to the Syndicate certain regulations framed by that body abolishing the matriculation examination centres at Shikarpur, Nasik and Sholapur. Mr Paranjpe agreed that on financial grounds the University could refuse to open new centres but to close existing centres would be a hardship. Even then he was agreeable to withdraw his motion if it was shown that the centres were abolished on purely financial grounds.

HARDSHIPS FOR UPPER SIND STUDENTS

Prof. T. M. Advani in supporting the motion for reference back urged that great hardship would be caused to students in Upper Sind if the Shikarpur centre was abolished.

Principal N. M. Shah in opposing the motion explained that the Shikarpur centre had been abolished for want of proper printing facilities. For the last two years the examination was being held both at Sholapur and Bijapur and it was felt that the latter place was more convenient than the former. As for Nasik it had to be abolished because the number of candidates that appeared from the centre were too small.

The motion for reference back was lost.

OFFICE OF REGISTRAR

Dewan Bahadur Jhaveri moved an amended statute to make the office of the Registrar of the University, a permanent office. The Registrar's job was at first part time but it was a full time office now. In the interests of security it was desirable to make it a permanent office. The motion was carried.

Principal N. M. Shah moved that the following Statute be inserted.

"Except in the case of endowments for Fellowships, Scholarships, Prizes, Medals or other awards, the Syndicate shall have the power to accept donations and endowments of a value not exceeding Rs. 2,000, and, if the interests of the University so require, to give up any such donations or endowments as it may have accepted."

Mr. M. R. Paranjpe moved an amendment providing that such endowments should not be of a sectional or communal nature. Both the resolution and the amendment were passed.

RULED OUT OF ORDER.

Three proposals that were to have been moved by Mr. B. N. Datar were ruled out of order. The first was a request to the Syndicate to grant substantial concessions to Harijan students in respect of examination fees. It was ruled out on the ground that no privilege could be conferred on any particular section of students.

The second requested the Syndicate to bring down the level of travelling allowance, and halting allowance to the level of similar allowance paid to the members of the Bombay Legislature. This was ruled out on the ground that it gave specific directions to the Syndicate.

The third proposal requested the Chancellor and the Vice-Chancellor to introduce the system of convocation addresses being delivered in Hindustani, Urdu or any of the vernaculars of the Presidency. This was ruled out on the ground that it was a matter entirely within the competence of the Chancellor and the Vice-Chancellor.

AGLE-AGRI COMMUNITY SUPPORTS RENT CONTROL

Congratulates Congress Ministry On Wage Increase Grant

The annual session of the All-India Agle-Agari Conference was held, at Dadar, Vanmali Hall. Rao Saheb Dhondu Dharmaji Khade, the Chairman of the reception committee, read his address and welcomed the delegates and the people. Thereafter he asked the president, Mr. Balaram Dnyandev Thakur, who was selected (not elected) by him on his own responsibility without consulting either the organizers or the elected Managing Committee of the Conference to occupy the chair.

The audience did not like the selection and a vote of censure was proposed and carried. But for nearly three hours the President refused to budge from his seat despite strong opposition from the gathering. In the end it was announced by Rao Saheb Khade that the Conference was dissolved!

Thereupon the people calmly shifted to the Municipal Garden near Tilak Bridge and held their own conference under the presidentship of Mrs. Venubai Raghunath Patil, a well-known Congress worker in city.

Delegates from Nasik, Thana, Kolaba and Ahmednagar districts addressed the conference. Three medals were awarded to Messrs. Chhabu Dada Bhoir of Nasik, Yeshvant Hari Patil of Bombay and Janardan Narayan Mhatre of Kolaba District.

This Conference, in view of the majority of the population of Agle-Agari community living in cities being textile workers, congratulated the Congress Ministry for giving an average wage increase of 12½ per cent and requested the Ministry to take immediate steps to bring the wage in force in cases where the wage increase had been refused by Millowners and to trv to redress their grievances.

That this Conference strongly supports the resolutions to be brought before the Bombay Legislative Assembly as regards controlling the rents and rate of interest so that they would realiv be to the benefit of the public.

The Conference also gave its whole-hearted support to the Bill that is being brought by Dr. B. R. Ambedkar with regard to the abolishing of Khoti system.

The Conference denounced the attitude of the President of the Reception Committee (i) for calling the police though no occasion called for it. (ii) for refusing to issue delegates' tickets despite requests from many people (iii) for enlisting volunteers from other castes though many young persons of Agle-Agari community were willing to serve as volunteers.

The Conference also resolved to abolish dowry system in the community.

Mr. A. Wilson, Special Officer of the Cinchona Inquiry, accompanied by Mr. Mirchandani, soil chemist, visited the Andamans at the requests of the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research, to investigate the possibilities of growing cinchona in the Islands.

BRITAIN WON'T FIGHT GERMANY

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led Britain. Moreover, she has many crumbs that she can throw.

A defeat from Germany would at most result in the loss of prestige and a few territories against which there can be an appeal—another war; it would leave, however, fundamental principles more or less unchanged But victory with Soviet aid would mean the loosening of red wings over Europe and the final liquidation of Britain as she is understood today. This thought would far outweigh with her ruling classes any possible economic or political gain. It is further the key to the understanding of European politics for some time. (Watch Britain and Von Papen in Turkey).

Czechoslovakia In The Way

An hint to Hitler that a drive towards the Ukraine would not be opposed by Britain seems already to be given by the Chamberlain Government, a course which would suit the latter for several reasons, one of which is, of course, that it would help to divert the Reich's attentions from the former German colonies, now under Mandate, which the Conservative Party are in no mood to give up. Here the democracy of Czechoslovakia might prove embarrassing but a "Hoare-Laval" plan could always be found. I do not believe that Hitler will dare for the present to attack Czechoslovakia whose efficient army and air-force are quite able to hold and defeat whatever forces he can spare to send against her, which cannot be more than a fourth of the whole German force, unless her preparedness is weakened by attending to advices from Britain, through whom naturally Hitler will move to paralyse her will. If Czechoslovakia meets Hitler's threats by mobilisation heedless of Britain, the bluff of Hitler will be called and there will be no war.

BUSINESS MAGNATE DETAINED IN BOMBAY

Methods Of Examinations In Customs Exposed

It is reported that Mr. Dataram T. Nathani who had arrived in Bombay on Thursday June 2, from Japan by s.s. "Conte Biancamano" was detained in Bombay till Saturday June 4, owing to the refusal of the Customs officers to examine and release his baggage.

Interviewed by a representative of the "Chronicle", Mr. Dataram said, "I was a first class passenger and I wonder why the Customs should have detained me for two days, when I gave a cent. per cent. correct declaration and was prepared to pay the duty at once.

Mr. Dataram continued, "The methods of examination of luggage, etc., in the Bombay Customs are hopeless and indefensible and I am at a loss to understand why the officers in charge harass the Indian passengers in particular. European passengers have an easy passage through the barriers."

Mr. Dataram T. Nathani is a business magnate and owns business concerns in Japan, West Indies, United States and South America.

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You'll See Him To-day!

Metro's Robert Taylor

PORTRAIT IN DOTS OF STAR OF "BROAD WAY MELODY OF 1938"

BY BRIAN YOUNG

He has held many of the greatest women of the screen in his arms....Yet Robert Taylor is still the bewildered youth....Who graduated from a provincial college. ....To a screen test that catapulted him to motion picture stardom....Within two years.

Born in Filley, Nebraska, on August 5....The son of Dr. S. A. Brough....He moved later with his family....To Beatrice, Nebraska....Where he was educated in the public schools....He attended College for two years....And finished his course at Pomona College, California....Where he engaged in amateur dramatics.. And became a star tennis player.

During summer vacations.... Young Taylor played in various productions....Including "M'Lord the Duke...."Camille"...."The Importance of Being Earnest" and "Journey's End."

It was while he was playing Captain Stanhope in "Journey's End"....That he was discovered by a screen talent scout....And given a screen test by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer....But Taylor would not take up screen work.... Until he had received his diploma from college.

After signing his studio contract....He became discouraged and decided he had no future in pictures....He asked Louis B. Mayer for a release from his contract....But it was refused.... Mayer advised and encouraged

ROBERT TAYLOR

him....And he was eventually cast in "Society Doctor."

Since then he rose rapidly to stardom....Appearing with Joan Crawford in "The Gorgeous Hussey"....Janet Gaynor in "Small Town Girl"....Barbara Stanwyck in "His Brother's Wife"....Jean Harlow in "Personal Property".... Eleanor Powell in the "Broadway Melody" pictures....Greta Garbo in "Camille" and Maureen O'Sullivan in "A Yank at Oxford."

Yet, despite all of the adulation directed at him....Taylor lives a quiet life on a thirty-acre ranch in the San Fernando Valley.... Where his companions are seven blooded horses....And three dogs.

ROSE

who is featured opposite Motilal in Sagar's "We Three" shortly coming to Roxy.

WORKERS' REVOLT IN FILM

Exciting Scenes, in Wadia Movietone's "Rangilla Mazdoor"

Down tools! Do not resume work till your demands are granted! The mistress has a contract to fulfill! She must make terms with you! A sort of a small revolt in the colony of peaceful workers! The stubborn mistress and a blood thirsty manager face each other hundreds of miles away from civilisation in the timber forests of the Star Trading Combine both determined to fight out the issue to the finish. Strike! Revolt!

This, it should be explained, is the exciting background of certain sequences in "Rangilla, Mazdoor", the Wadia Movietone picture, which is now under production.

Sagar with Nemoo and Kamlesh Kumari in a scene from "Dharti Mata", New Theatres' film, shortly coming to Minerva.

STORY OF AN ATHIEST PHILOSOPHER

Ranjits' "Prithvi Putra" Coming To West End

One of the important releases of the week is "Prithvi Putra", Ranjit's new film, to be seen from Saturday at West End Theatre.

Ranjit who have been recently producing light comedies and "popular" thrillers tackle a mythological theme in this film

The story depicts the career of Charvak, a philosopher who turned athiest and dared to doubt the existence of divinity. Besides he was an able diplomat and shrewd politician—an ancient, edition of Mechiavelli! His ambition brought him into a conflict with Shree Krishna himself and this bettle forms one of the most important sequences in the film.

The cast includes Madhuri, E. Eillimoria, Mazher Khan, Kalyani and other Ranjit artistes.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

"DHARTI MATA," New Theatres new film, directed by Nitni Bose, starring Saigal, Uma, Kamlesh Kumari and Nawab, to be released at Minerva Talkies, by Calcutta Film Exchange. Expected release —about 25th of June.

"PRITHVI PUTRA," Ranjit's mythological film, starring Madhuri, E. Billimoria, Mazhar Khan, etc., to be released on Saturday, 11th instant, at West End.

"WE THREE", Sagar's new film, starring Motilal with Rose and Maya, directed by Mahbub, expected to follow "Nirmala" at the Roxy.

"BAGHBAN," General Films' forthcoming release, featuring Bimla Kumari, Nandrekar, Nazir, etc., expected by the end of this month.

Bombay Film Diary

CENTRAL: "Gopal Krishna," Prabhat's impressive mythological film, starring Shanta Apte, Ram Marathey, Parashram and a thousand cows. Spectacular, Outstanding performance by Parashram. Must be seen—for it is a Prabhat picture. (Fifth week).

IMPERIAL: "Dynamite," Sagar thriller, featuring Surendra, Maya Bannerji, Bibbo and Yaqub. (Fourth Week).

KOHINOOR AND KRISHNA: "Dhruva," Prabhat picture's maiden mythological film with an all-child cast. Has special appeal for children. (Second Week).

MAJESTIC: "Umaji Naik," in Marathi, Uday Pictures maiden historical film, featuring Keshavrao Datey. Recommended to Marathi-knowing fans.

MINERVA: "Devdas", New Theatres' famous film, once again revived.

OPERA HOUSE: "Swarajya Seemevar," in Marathi, historical romance, (Revival).

PLAZA: "Kunku," Prabhat's well-known film in Marathi (Revival).

ROXY: "Nirmala", starring Devika Rani with Ashok Kumar. Outstanding performance by Devika Rani. Excellent technique. Must be seen for—it is a Devika Rani picture (Eighth week).

SUPER: "State Express," Prakash Pictures' latest "animal thriller," featuring two dogs and a gorilla. There are some human beings, too; in the cast, but their names are not mentioned in the advertisement. (Second week).

WEST-END: "Rickshawala," Ranjit Film, directed by Ezra Mir. Good story, excellent acting by Mazhar Khan. Average entertainment. (Fourth and last week).

"UMAJI NAIK" POPULAR AT MAJESTIC

Marathi Film Revives Historical Incidents

One of the notable releases last week was Royal Film Circuits' "Umaji Naik," a Marathi film, now being shown at the Majestic which has now become almost the exclusive home of Marathi pictures.

The film depicts the life of a well-known historical character from Maharashtrian history, an Indian edition of Robinhood, the philanthropist highway man of English fable. Umaji Naik was one of those patriotic brigands who made a bid for Maharashtra's freedom in the wake of Shivaji.

In the title role is Keshavrao Datey who made a hit as a character actor when he appeared with Shanta Apte in "Dunya Na Mane." Others in the cast include Kamlabai Barodekar, a well-known songstress, Madbukar Gupte, Rajanee and Bhonsle.

The picture, we understand, has been well received by Marathi—knowing fans at the Majestic and is expected to be a popular draw.

"John McCormack has become a Paramount voice coach. One of his first pupils is Olympe Bradna. Her singing in "Stolen Heaven" has given Paramount ideas about making her a 'prima donna'".

"Edward Arnold is the latest character player selected by Frank Capra for "You Can't Take it With You". He'll play the rich man, which won't be much change from his usual parts."

Hot From New Theatres

Tears Won Her Stardom!

STRANGE TALE OF UMA AND OTHER INTERESTING STORIES

(BY STUDIO RAMBLER)

Calcutta.

Uma took me in her confidence the other day when I paid a visit to see some shootings of "Dharmata".

She had just done a fine bit of acting and all hot and bothered had come to rest a bit before the next shot. I complimented her. "Would you believe," she said, "that when I came for the first time before the camera at the New Theatres, I was a bundle of nerves and naturally declared

UMA SHASHI

unfit. The disappointment was too much. I cried. I begged for another chance. The executives were obliging. And with tears still welling in my eyes I was given another test. It's an ill wind that blows nobody good. And the tears got me the job. I was selected for the role of Rami in "Chandidas" and here I am."

Uma has not developed any costly habits that many artistes are reputed to have, nor has she any false pride. She is simplicity personified—in her ways, in her habits and in her manners

GYPSIES

Kanan Devi is playing the role of a gypsy girl in Phani Mazumdar's "Street Singer" and the role, I believe, is responsible for the following incident I am about to relate. Place, Chowringhee, on the pavement, near the Museum. Some gypsies, girls, boys, big and small, singing and begging. A big limousine stops. A beautiful, very well-dressed lady steps out and picks up one of the urchins, unwashed and in rags and tatters what a contract. The lady gives the child a slab of chocolate. She distributes some money amongst the rest. She smiles, the others smile. She steps into her big car. She waves a friendly farewell. The car moves. All this was done in a manner that did not appear strange to the gypsies. My curiosity forced me to enquire. I was told that the "Bhurra Mem Saheb" visits them frequently. So the make-believe world sometimes converts its own jugglers.

A NEW SAIGAL

Saigal returns to work in the "Street Singer" quite a different man. In keeping with the healthy, playful role in the said picture, his recent sojourn in the hills of Shillong has filled him with a new energy and new vigour. Saigal will sing quite a number of duets with Kanan. What a combination. And Kanan is also dancing in this film. She is reputed to have pleased the critics with some real hot numbers. Speaking of dancing it reminds us of Kamlesh Kumari of whose fame the world has heard and the Continents of Europe and India has been. Having acquired international fame and acclaimed by wonderful exhibitions of her marvellous dancing in many cities of Europe and in In-

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MOTILAL

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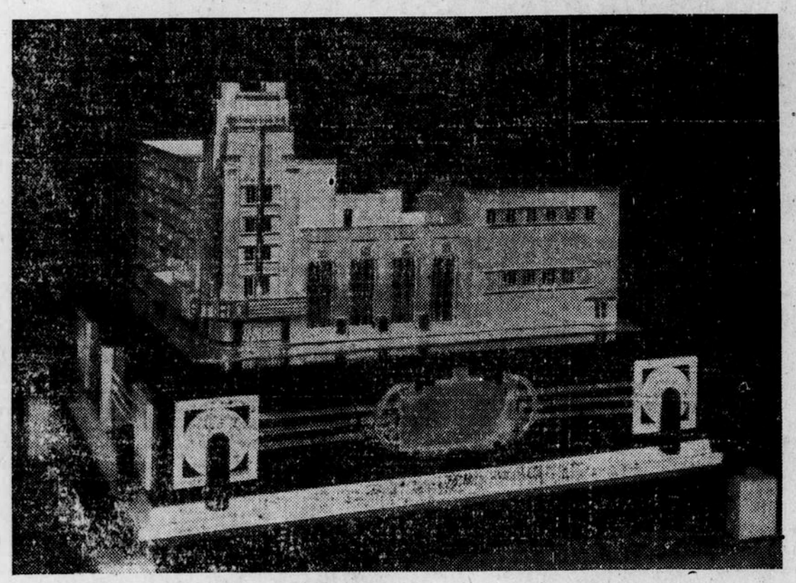

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BODY OF WOMAN IN GUNNY BAG

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The nude body of a dead young woman supposed to be a Hindu, with coir ropes tied round her neck and bundled up in a gunny bag was the gruesome find discovered this morning by a railway porter in one of the compartments of the Peshawar Express.

The train reached V. T. at about 6 a. m. and a railway porter on his usual rounds inspected all the compartments and found an unclaimed gunny bag in a third class compartment. The bag was opened in the presence of the railway officials and it was found the dead body of a young woman. The body was absolutely naked. There were no visible marks of external injuries. Reddish fluid was seeing oozing out of her nostrils. She must have been dead according to the railway police at least 24 hours before.

There is nothing to establish the identity of the persons concerned. The Railway authorities could furnish no information as to how and when the bag in question was deposited in the railway compartment. The perpetrators of the offence left no clues behind them. The only possible clue are the letters "B.S.L." on the gunny bag. "B.S.L." denotes Bhusawal. There are tatoo marks on the forearm, on wrist and on the forehead of the deceased.

The body was found concealed in a bag underneath the seat. The fact that there are bores on the ears and the nose of the woman indicate that she was a Hindu.

Telegrams have been dispatched by the police to all the stations. Mr. F. D. Couper and Mr. G. V. Kaisari of the Railway police are investigating.

Coroner's Inquest

After taking out the bag containing the body of the woman a panchnama was constituted by railway police. The deceased had passed blood from the mouth and some white fluid through the nostrils.

The lady panch also stated that blood marks were present in the private parts.

An inquest will be held over the body to-morrow, at the Bombay Coroner's Court.

TEARS WON HER STARDOM!

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dia where she had the honour of dancing before Their Excellencies the Viceroy and Vicereine and the Commander-in-Chief. Kamlesh Kumari has danced in "Bhartimata" and the fortunate people who saw the shooting of the dance are unanimous in their declaration of the number's originality and perfect performance.

"ADHIKAR"

Barua's "Adhikar" promises to be bigger and better than "Mukti" from many points of views. A visit to the Studio showed some excellent sets and the few bits of acting were full of promise of big and fine entertainment. Barua, the director of "Mukti" and "Devdas," is directing "Adhikar". Talents he has chosen, many and varied. Menaka, Jamuna, Chitralekha, Ishrat Jehan, Pahari, Barua himself, Ansari, Sailen Chowdhury, Indu Mukherjee, B. Kapoor, Pankaj Mullick, Pratap and Parnima—a big cast and all with talents, their own and the music is being conducted and composed by Timir Baran, who has glorified India on the stages of Europe and now glorifies the screen in India.

The labour dispute between the dock-workers and various groundnut exporting firms in Pondicherry has been satisfactorily settled by Mr Andre Menared, Inspector for Labour with the Government of French India.

APPOINTMENTS BY CENTRAL GOVT.

SIMLA, June 4.

The Central Government has nominated Khan Bahadur K. M. Asadullah, Librarian, Imperial Library, as a Trustee of the Indian Museum, for a period of three years with effect from the 8th May, 1938, vice Khan Bahadur A F. M. Abdul Ali, resigned.

Mr. M. S. A. Hydari has been appointed Chairman of the Central Electricity Board and Chairman of the Central Boilers' Board, vice the Honourable Mr. A. G. Clow.

Mr. Fredrik Meyer has been appointed as Norwegian Government Trade Commissioner in India, and has been attached to the Norwegian Consulate-General at Calcutta.—United Press.

INDEBTEDNESS IN PUNJAB VILLAGES

Economic Board's Inquiry

The Secretary to the Punjab Board of Economic Inquiry writes:—

It is well-known that the recent agricultural depression has considerably changed the economic life of the countryside and conditions are very much different from what they were ten years back. The business of cultivation has in the past been financed by loans taken, in cash or kind, from the money-lender; seed has to be procured for the next crop and cattle have to be replaced. Money is of course in a large measure advanced on security, either tangible, such as a mortgage on land, pawning of jewellery, etc., or personal, depending on the reputation of the debtor as a good repayer of debt.

DEPRESSION TELLS.

The effect of the phenomenal fall in prices has been disastrous for the Punjab peasant who has never learnt to save against a rainy day, and has therefore very limited resources at his command to meet emergencies. In the beginning of the depression loans were not so difficult to obtain, as the low prices were considered to be a short-lived calamity from the effects of which the farmer, with his strong powers for recuperation, was sooner or later expected to recover. But, with prices remaining consistently low and the operation of the depression being world-wide, the creditor realised that this was no ordinary disaster To help the farmer the Government also passed a number of acts restricting the profits and controlling the method of money-lending The creditor consequently began to contract the amount of his credit, giving loans only on safe securities, and at the same time making every effort to get the old loans settled as best he could.

PEASANTS' PLIGHT

With a very low income on one side and the pressure of the money-lender on the other the farmer found himself in a difficult position His first step naturally was to cut down his expenses, but this process took some time, as it is not easy to change one's standard of living To keep solvent he had to draw on his meagre savings, if any, and also have recourse to his wife's jewellery and the family cattle, both of which represent his easily saleable assets. There is also his land, but the sentiment he attaches to it is so strong that he only parts with it as a very last resource, and the Alienation of Land Act even then puts difficulties in his way. Under force of circumstances, he may alienate it temporarily through a mortgage, and it has been found that with the creditor anxious to settle the old debts, favourable terms are forthcoming

KEY TO PROBLEM.

Thus the whole character of the money-lending business in the villages has changed and many questions arise to which a correct answer would greatly help in an accurate appreciation of the situation For example it is important to know how the distressed cultivator is financing his current needs and to what extent the money-lender, with loans being repaid so slowly, is carrying on his business? If the latter has given up his work, what is he doing since obviously all money-lenders cannot congregate in the towns It is also pertinent to know how old debts have been settled and on what terms new ones are now being made? To what extent is land being given on usufructuary mortgage, and how does the cultivator live until the land is returned to him; how is he economising and has he taken to any spare-time occupations? Has the agriculturist money-lender been more successful in the realisation of loans than his non-agriculturist confrere? How far have the co-operative societies proved useful in this time of need?

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FINAL L. C. P. S. EXAM.

72 Out Of 294 Candidates Pass

Out of 294 students who appeared at the Final L. C. P. S. Examination held in May 1938, the following 72 have passed:—

2 V. K. Ahya.
4 V. A. Akolkar.
8 B. M. Babladi.
9 M. L. Bagh.
15 A. P. Bhalla.
17 S. Bhaskar.
25 R. A. Bidari.
38 Miss Victoria Cordo.
40 S. H. Dattary.
42 Miss Cyntnia D'Almeida.
45 K. L. Dandekar.
54 P. [illegible] Dandge.
55 [illegible] Desai.
57 [illegible] Desai.
73 [illegible] Fernandes.
76 G. L. Gadgil.
78 M. M. Gandhi.
79 O. M. Gandhi.
80 Miss Shanta Ganesh Gatne.
83 Miss Devi Jivatram Gidwani.
88 S. G. Godbole.
94 R. M. Gupta.
97 T. V. Harchandani.
99 P. N. Hoshing.
107 H. I. Jhala.
125 S. Kashiram.
127 H. T. Keswani.
134 Miss Kamal Subrao Kulkarni.
138 S. N. Kulkarni.
139 S. V. Kulkarni.
151 K. V. Mahajani.
152 G. Mahatma.
158 G. D. Maria.
159 M. V. Mathai.
166 S. S. Melikatti.
168 M. N. Merchant.
173 I. Mohammad.
176 F. A. J. Monteiro.
177 Miss Ruby Elijah Moses.
186 S. V. Nisal.
190 V. C. Palekar.
191 J. M. Palkar.
197 M. P. Patanakar.
198 A. D. Patel.
200 A. L. K. Pathan.
201 K. B. Patil.
208 V. B. Phadnis.
213 V. B. Purohit.
216 M. D. Rana.
217 P. P. Ranadive.
218 M. P. Ranbhise.
220 R. Y. Rane.
221 L. K. Rao.
226 S. P. Redkar.
227 A. S. Reuben.
228 G. D. Rihani.
232 S. P. Saksena.
233 J. S. Saluja.
238 R. G. Sant.
241 Miss Lila Satyanandan.
249 P. V. Shah.
251 R. C. Shah.
253 A. S. H. Shaikh.
260 L. Shrivastav.
263 Miss Leela Vasudeo Sirsat.
264 S. N. Sodah.
269 C. Surgunum.
277 B. N. Thakore.
283 K. L. Trivedi.
290 R. R. Trivedi.
299 B. B. Vankudre.
301 Y. M. Vigh.

JENNINGS PRIZE.

"Major-General Jennings Prize for General Proficiency" has been awarded to Mr. Shiviling Sangappa Melikatti of the National Medical College, Bombay.

Journalists of Goa entertain Miss Clare Mendonca, Bombay Journalist, at dinner party at Panjim.

PRABHURAM AYURVED COLLEGE EXAM. RESULTS

The following are the names of the successful candidates of the different Ayurvedic Institutions who appeared in the different Prabhuram Ayurvedic College Examinations conducted by the Dr. Popat Univeristy of Ayurveda, during April 1938.

BHISHAGVAR EXAM. PART TWO

Passed in the whole examination, Bhatt. Markandray Umiashanker, Petlad.

Passed in 'Sootika Shastra and etc', only., Vaidya, Prabodhchandra Madhavlal, Palanpur.

PART ONE

Passing in Arogya Shastra and Nyay Vaidyak, only, Vimawala, Champaklal Chhaganlal, Kathor.

VAIDYAVAR TESTS

Sandu, Ramkrishna Hari, Chembur. Sandu, Shanker Vasude, Chembur and D'Souza, Sebastiao Antonio, Dadar.

BHISHAGVAR EXAM PART TWO

Passed in the whole examination, Shah, Manilal Panachand, Devgadh Baria, Vimawala, Champaklal Chhaganlal, Kathor.

PART ONE

Passed in the whole examination, Shah Mohanlal Shivlal, Katnor, Agashe, Anant Sakharam, Basaein.

Passing in Sharir Shastra, only: Dalal, Damodar Brijmohandas. Bombay.

Passing in Upvaidyak, only. Vaidya, Harilal Gulabdas, Surat

The next session of the examination will commence from 25th August.

AWARDS

The following awards are now notified. They will be made on the occasion of the next Convocation of the Conjoint Institutions:—

Bai Kankubai Prize. 1936 Vaidya, Prabodhchandra Madhavlal, Palanpur, 1937 Nagarsheth, Manubhai Nathjibhai, Sandasal.

Sheth Devkaran Nanji Prize No. 1:—1936 Patel, Dahyabhai Gokulbhai, Samarkha, 1937 Not awarded.

Sheth Devkaran Nanji Prize No.

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FILM CRITIC ENTERTAINED BY GOA JOURNALISTS

Miss Mendonca On Ideal Of Modern Woman

(From A Correspondent).

NOVA GOA, June 5.

The journalists of Goa gave a dinner party here the other day in the Club Nacional, the social centre of Panjim, in honour of Miss Clare Mendonca, a well-known film critic and fashions writer of Bombay who is here on holiday. The distinguished gathering included, besides the editors and proprietors of the various newspapers published in Goa, officials of the Government, members of the Council of Government and leading citizens of the capital.

At the conclusion of the meal nearly a dozen speeches were made paying tribute to the guest of the evening for the honour she had brought to her community, country and most of all to her sex, in attaining the position of responsibility she occupied on the editorial staff of an important newspaper.

MISS MENDOCA'S REPLY

Replying Miss Mendonca said that if she deserve any credit at all, it was for making up her mind to get out of the rut into which custom and tradition had confined her sex and particularly her country-women and seek a different sphere of activity than that of the household and domesticity and for keeping grimly in the face of difficulty and obloquy to that resolve."

"I sought for myself a sphere that had not yet been invaded by the Indian woman. It is now seven years since journalism has been my world and my ambition. It is a jealous task mistress, leaving little room for other labours and none at all for leisure—but I would not change it for any other in the world."

AN APPEAL TO FELLOW JOURNALISTS

Paying a glowing tribute to the rich natural beauty of Goa—"land of blue mountains, green fields and flowing waters" Miss Mendonca concluded with an earnest appeal to her hosts "to use the platform, the pulpit and the press to hold before our growing womanhood, the ideal of the modern woman, the ideal of liberty from dull routine, deadly monotony, destructive conservatism, the ideal of service to the community and the country as the logical and inevitable development of the ideal of service to husband children, and family, while it must remain inevitably lodged in every woman's heart, need not circumscribe her faculties of mind and heart and soul to the exclusion of the greater world from the scope of her ambition and activities."

Miss Mendonca concluded with a graceful expression of her pride and gratitude that she had been "admitted to the privilege of friendship and association with you, not as a woman, not even as a fellow countrywoman, but as a comrade in arms a member of the great and world-wide brotherhood of the pen, which in the words of the old saying, is mightier than the sword."

Birthday Celebrations At Junagadh

(From A Correspondent.)

JUNAGADH, June 7.

A brilliant function was arranged at the Sardar-Bagh Palace in celebration of the birthday of His Highness the Nawab Saheb, on Saturday last, when most of the Officers, Amirs, and prominent citizens of Junagadh were present. After garlanding His Highness with the customary "Sehra", a salute of forty guns announced the completion of the ceremony.

ACQUITTED OF RASH DRIVING

Tata Aviation Employee

Mr. Tyagaraja Iyer Venkataraman, an employee of the Tata Aviation Department was charged for rash and negligent driving on June 1 before Mr. M. A. F. Coelho, Presidency Magistrate, Dadar.

It was stated that he rode on the ramp of the G. I. P. Railway foot-bridge on his motor-bicycle at a speed of five miles per hour on the day in question.

The accused pleaded not guilty to the charge.

The Magistrate acquitted the accused taking the case as a peculiar one, under special circumstances.

At the time of the incident (11-5 p.m.) there were very few passengers on the ramp, and there was no danger to person.

The Magistrate observed that the accused must have found it difficult to carry the cycle on the ramp, and seeing that there was none in front of the cycle rode it at a slow speed.

"No doubt the accused would have been better advised" said the Magistrate, "if he did not attempt in things of this kind and I am sure after this prosecution, he will think twice before doing so".

AGED MAN DONE TO DEATH

Annappa Chokka (60), residing at Haines Road, is alleged to have been stabbed by Bapu Ramji with a knife over his left eye and head.

Another man called Shankar is said to have struck him with an iron bolt on his right cheek and head, when Annappa fell down. Thereupon Shankar struck him with a stone on his chest.

It is stated that some other persons struck Annappa with umbrellas. Annappa was removed to hospital by a policeman.

He died yesterday afternoon.

The inquest was adjourned for police investigations till June 14.

Parsi High Priest In Court

Sirdar Khan Bahadur Dastur Nosherwan Dastur Kaikabad, High Priest of the Parsees in the Deccan figured to-day as the complainant in a defamation case. The complainant charged Cowasji Pestonji Billimoria, a Poona Contractor with defamation in respect of an article published in "Kom Sevak" dated April 11, 1937.

The complainant, in his evidence stated that the article in question contained imputations which were highly defamatory to him. The writer of the article, he said was the accused.

Nusserwanji N. Engineer, editor of "Kom Sevak" tendered an unqualified apology to the complainant in respect of the article in question.

Concluding he said "I feel greatly offended by the article and the accused had done deliberately to vilify me".

The case stands adjourned to June 28.

YOUTH KNOCKED DOWN WHILE CROSSING ROAD

Hansraj Anand (18), residing at Delisle Road, was knocked down by a B.E.S.T. bus yesterday evening, while crossing the road. He was removed to the K.E.M. Hospital, where he died.

The inquest was adjourned till June 14.

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Cottage Industries To Cure Unemployment

Dr. Syed Mahmud Chalks Out Two Lines Of Solution

PATNA, June, 4.

The unemployment problem in this province was of a different nature and more difficult than in other parts of the world. In other countries of the world, unemployment generally meant the unemployment of workmen, but in India the term had come to be associated with educated youth, said Dr. Syed Mahmud, Education and Development Minister, presiding at the first meeting of the Employment Board constituted by Government to devise ways and means of mitigating unemployment in the province.

"Although we are immediately concerned with solving, if we can, the problem of unemployment among this class of people, the larger question of the agriculturists and labourers should not be lost sight of in our deliberations, because, after all they form the major portion of the population of our province," said the Minister.

EDUCATED UNEMPLOYED.

The problem of unemployment of educated youth, he continued, was inseparably linked up with the question of higher education. In advance countries of the West, modern higher education had developed side by side with industrial development, and it was difficult to say which was the cause and which the effect. The transplanting of this system of education in this country for administrative purposes and without any serious efforts at industriallization had resulted in unemployment among educated people even before education had touched a mere fringe of the population.

From one point of view, said the Minister, there was nothing like enough education in the country, while a large number of those who had received education failed to earn a living. It was contended that higher education had impoverished the villages, by helping the growth of urban organisations which were more or less parasitic in their nature living mainly by drawing on the resources of the villages. At present parents of boys in villages desired to send them to the towns for higher education, in the hope that they might secure profitable employment. The best boys left the villages, the agricultural occupation being carried on by those who were fit for nothing else. Thus, the villages were deprived of both brain and capital causing the stagnation that was visible today.

TWO LINES OF SOLUTION.

Industrialization and intensification of the efforts to improve agriculture, he continued, were perhaps the two main lines on which would depend the solution of this problem of unemployment. With the development of industries, it was expected that higher education would find its proper habitat and would produce youngmen who would employ themselves in increasing the wealth of the country.

The question of unemployment had lately been examined by competent committees both in this and other provinces and their recommendations, Dr. Mahmud hoped, would be useful to the deliberations by the present Board.

MILLIONAIRE'S WAY TO SOLVE UNEMPLOYMENT

Compel The Rich To Start Industries & Absorb Jobless

KARACHI, June 6.

After a two days' sitting, the Sind Unemployment Conference concluded its deliberations last night, after adopting several resolutions suggesting ways to find out jobs for unemployed people.

Rai Bahadur Shivratan Mohitta, a millionaire, suggested that Government should, with the co-operation of rich people, start numerous industries and absorb as many unemployed people as they can.

He further suggested that Government should pass legislation enjoining upon the people with property of Rs. 10,000 and more, to start some sort of industry Otherwise Government should realise Rs. 5,000 out of every Rs. 10,000 from the rich people on a promise to return two per cent. and start various industries with the money thus collected.

In case Government failed to adopt any of these measures, said the Rai Bahadur, the Congress should offer Satyagraha at the door of rich men until money is collected and start industries.—United Press.

The Unemployment Bureau of the Industries Department organized as an experimental measure in 1935 had proved useful in obtaining employment to a large number of educated young men in railways and industrial concerns. This showed that there were defects in the existing educational system in relation to the requirements of the industries. The province did not have the necessary facilities and arrangements for training people for the requirements of the different industries. It was not within the financial capacity of the Government to undertake to train people for each class of industry and it was necessary that different industries should come forward to undertake to train in certain branches and stages at least the men that they required. What type of education and training and upto what stage Government should undertake to arrange for and from what stage or stages the industries themselves should take up were problems which bristled with difficulties. The Minister hoped that the deliberations would result in a concrete plan of training young men to man the different industries existing and growing up in the province.

COTTAGE INDUSTRIES.

Proceeding, he said that along with the consideration of training and creating facilities for employment in big industries, it was equally necessary to plan the development of cottage and small industries either as main occupations or as subsidiary occupations to agriculture. He had lately been examining the possibilities of development in agriculture and concrete proposals had been framed. Funds permitting, it was possible to do something in that direction in the near future.

ADMISSION OF SCHEDULED CASTES PUPILS

Govt. Tightens Rules Regarding Grants To Do Away With Discrimination

Under the existing rules, all schools managed by public bodies and maintained from public funds are open to pupils of all classes and communities without distinction. This rule is strictly observed in Government schools. It is not open to any Local Authority to refuse admission to a child into any of its schools on grounds of caste or community. The grant-in-aid payable to a Local Authority is liable to penal reduction for violation of this rule.

Actual experience has however shown that the rules removing disabilities of the children belonging to scheduled castes are not always duly observed. It has been found that scheduled caste students are either directly refused admission or discouraged from attending schools maintained by some of the Local Authorities. It is the declared policy of Government that no discrimination should be made against scheduled castes in educational institutions aided from public funds on the ground of their caste.

NEW DRAFT RULE

With a view therefore to enforce strict observance of this policy by local authorities Government have published a draft rule under the Bombay Primary Education Act, 1928, to the effect that no grant shall be paid to a Local Authority in respect of a school where admission is refused to any pupil on the ground of his caste or community. The draft rule further provides that if no pupils belonging to the scheduled castes are actually attending a school, it will be presumed that admission is being refused to such pupils within the meaning of this rule unless the school board proves to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Instruction that no such pupils are residing within a distance of one mile from the school building or adduce other satisfactory reasons for the absence of such pupils from the schools.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

To Consider Suitability Of Wardha Scheme For Orissa

CUTTACK, (By Mail).

The Government of Orissa have appointed a Committee to consider and report on the question of the introduction of a uniform syllabus for all primary (Lower and Upper) schools in North Orissa. The Committee consists of the Director of Public Instruction (Chairman), the principal of the Training College (Secretary), Mr. K. E. Mohanty, D.E.C., Ganjam, Mr. Simadri Gautayat, retired D.I. of Schools, Berhampore and Mr. S. Ray, Inspector of Schools.

The term of reference of the Committee will be (a) to consider the syllabuses at present in use in primary schools in North Orissa and corresponding classes in the elementary schools in South Orissa and to draw up a syllabus which could be used uniformly in all such schools of the province;

(b) to consider the question of introducing with the minimum of cost the teaching of the various handicrafts in the above mentioned schools of the province and to suggest any other subject connected with primary education and relevant to it, which can be included in the curriculum of all such schools and to recommend a cheap and convenient plan of building for such schools;

(c) to consider the extent to which the recommendations of the Wardha Committee in the matter of syllabus, accommodation and instructions on handicrafts and physical training can be accepted in the province; and

(d) to consider the modifications necessary in the training of teachers in view of the changed syllabus to be introduced in such schools and to draw up a syllabus for training schools for teachers intended for this class of schools, due regard being paid to the recommendations of the Wardha Committee in this respect.—United Press.

FACILITIES FOR INDIAN APPRENTICES

The Director of Information, Bombay writes:—

The following Resolution was passed by the Bombay Legislative Assembly on the 27th January last:—

This Assembly recommends to Government to issue instructions to all Departments of Government semi-Government bodies, Municipal Corporations and Municipalities to insert in all contracts and agreements with all manufacturers and suppliers for the supply of stores, materials, machinery or services a clause to the effect that the manufacturers concerned and the suppliers concerned shall afford or procure, as the case may be every facility to Indian apprentices for practical training in factories, workshops or offices, owned managed, controlled or patronised by them so as to enable the Indian apprentices to acquire a full knowledge of the technique and work of their trade, industry, calling or profession."

The Government of Bombay have accepted the recommendation contained in the above resolution and directed that all Departments of Government, the Heads of Departments and the Heads of offices subordinate to them should give effect to it.

The Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay has been requested to bring the recommendation contained in the above resolution to the notice of the Corporation. The Collectors of Districts have also been asked to take similar action as regards local bodies in their jurisdictions and advise them to give effect to the recommendation, and the Departments of the Secretariat will advise other semi-Government bodies, if any, under their control to give effect to the recommendation.

ALL QUIET IN S. WAZRISTAN

SIMLA, June 7.

Yesterday the Razmak Brigade and the Third Infantry Brigade opened road from Mami Rogha to Datta Khel, returning to Mami Rogha, in the evening. No opposition met, though there was some sniping, and snipers followed the troops back to Mami Rogha.

No casualties are reported. There are some indications that the enemy Lashkar is reduced in strength, but considerable parties of hostile tribesmen are in the hilly country southwest of Mami Rogha and near Razmak. A gang is also reported near Shinki in the neighbourhood of Bannmirali Road. All is quiet in south Waziristan.—A. P.

LITERACY CAMPAIGN IN BIHAR

Dr. Mahmud's Scheme To Put It On Permanent Basis

PATNA, June 6.

The "United Press" understands that with a view to putting the literacy campaign on a permanent basis, a scheme is being sponsored by the Hon. Dr. Syed Mahmud, Minister of Education and Development, Bihar.

The idea is to have a net-work of organisations down from the village committees to a provincial one, for the purpose of removing illiteracy and supervising work for all the year round, in about 20,000 villages in the province.

According to the scheme each village having either a primary or a middle school will have at least one literacy centre. The school buildings will be utilised for holding classes. The village committee will induce the adults to join the school for attending the classes, and also to raise contributions in kind during harvest time. There will be a supervising committee in every circle or Union to supervise the work of the village committee and also to arrange weekly classes in different centres for post-literacy instructions. Then there will be Thana, sub-divisional and district committees.

On the top of these there will be a provincial committee.

There is also an idea to have 5,000 circulating libraries for post-literacy work and each supervising committee will be placed in charge of one.—United Press.

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

Bombay, June 7

Quotations at 2-15 p.m. were as under:

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES	
3 1/2 per cent paper	98/14
4 per cent 1960/70	113/4
5 per cent 1945/55	117/12
BANKS	
Baroda	116/4
Bank of Hindusthan	35/4
Central	30/14
Imperial Bank F P	1552/8
Imperial Bank P P	385
India Bank	142/4
Indian Overseas Bank	47/12
Reserve Bank	115/12
Union Bank	5/11
TEXTILES	
Ambica	247/8
Arun	455
Arvind	1180
Asok	390
Bombay Dyeing	801/4
Buckingham and Carnatics	194/8
Century	238/12
Central India	222/8
Colaba	137/8
Delhi Cloth and Gen Mills	345
Elgin	212
Gokak	140
Indore	52/8
Jubilee	215
Kohinoor	260
Laxmi Cotton	470
Mysore	95
Marsden	110
Morarji	1070
New Great	191/4
Raipur	700
Rajnagar	320
Simplex	74/6
Swadeshi	182/8
Sajjan	97/8
Vishnu	1170
Madhusudhan	200
Khatau	105
Hukamchand	190
Bhandari	91
HYDRO ELECTRIC	
Andhra Valley Ord	1430
Tata Hydro Ord	153/12
Tata Power Ord	1360
ELECTRIC	
Ahmedabad Electrics	141/4
Bombay Suburban	135
Bombay Tram	126/6
Surat	168/12
Ajmer	12/14
MISCELLANEOUS	
Alcock Ashdown	272/8
Associated Cements	116/8
Belapur	145
Bombay Burma New	165
Bombay Burma Old	475
Bombay Steam	225
Bombay Telephone	89/8
Burma Corporation	5/7
Br B Petrol	2/14
Dalmia Cement	9/4
Indian Bleaching	125
Industrial Investment Tr	40
Indian Radio Ord	390
Indian Radio Defd	502/8
Indian copper	2
Indian Iron	22/6
Mysore Sugar	22/4
Port Canning	665
Premier Construction	61
Scindia Steam	17/4
Shivrajpur	33
Tata Oil	25
Tata Steel Ordy	223
Tata Steel Defd	955
JUTES	
Birla Jute	12
Howrah	35/4
Hukumchand	6/2
Kamarhatty	350
Kanknarrah	283
Lawrence	307
Reliance	47/12

INDIA'S TRADE WITH KENYA AND UGANDA

SIMLA, June 5

The Annual Trade Report of Kenya and Uganda shows that the total value of merchandise imported from India during the year 1937 amounted to £458,048, as against £381,968 in the preceding year.

The main articles of importation from India were rice, wheat flour, spices, cotton piecegoods, jute bags and sacks, and leather.

The total value of the domestic exports of the combined territories to India amounted to £3,070,497 as against £1,781,408 in 1936.

Cotton textiles continue to be the most important item of trade imports. During 1937, the value of cotton textiles was 1,292,151 or 11.93 per cent, of all the goods imported.

Japan's share of this trade increased to 74 per cent of the total value, as compared with 70 per cent in 1936 and 1935. The United Kingdom's share shows a reduction 9 per cent., in comparison with the 1936 and 1935 figures of 12 and 16 per cent respectively. Assessed on a yardage basis, importations from Japan convert at 92.25 per cent of the trade.

Germany, Czechoslovakia, Holland, Japan and Belgium provide the bulk of imported cotton blankets, grey sheetings being exclusively supplied by Japan.—U. P.

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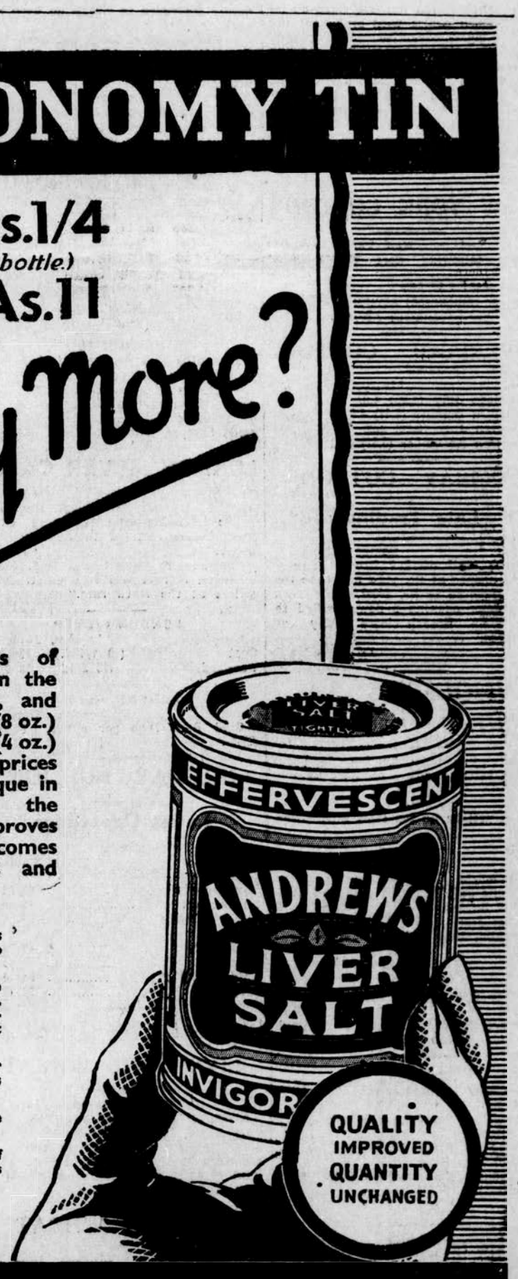

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NEW YORK COTTON UNCHANGED

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BOMBAY, June 7

NEW YORK COTTON

Lower Eastern Cables and absence of any constructive developments were responsible for further depressed feeling in cotton. Consequently prices showing downward trend.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Stock Exchange was quiet, but undertone was favourable and cheerful. Giltedged securities improved. Home industrials and Railways displayed rallying disposition with prices showing upward trend.

BOMBAY BULLION

Silver market was quiet and featureless with traders generally hesitant. However, prices improved on scattered support.

Gold came under pressure causing easiness, but subsequently picked up on good support and covering.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

JULY 1938.

New York, June 7

Previous closing	7.99
To-day's opening	7.86
Difference	—03
To-day's closing	7.89
Difference	unchanged

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, June 7

Previous closing	4.34
To-day's opening	4.27
Difference	—07
To-day's closing	4.30
Difference	—04

BROACH EXPECTATION

July August	Rs. 142-8
April May 1939	Rs. 157-12

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, June 7

New York cotton was depressed by lower Eastern cables with sentiment not relieved by constructive developments at home, prices consequently showing further downward trend.

Trading in July commenced at 7.86 i.e. three points lower than last close. Prices declined on lower Liverpool cables and local and outside selling, but thereafter demand improved and market showed better tendency with July rallying to 7.93 with steady tone.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, June 7

The following were the opening ranges:—

July (7.99) 7.87/7.86
October (mutilated) 7.93/7.91
December (mutilated) 7.95/7.95

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, June 7

American July (4.30) 4.27
American October (4.41) 4.39
Egyptian July (6.24) 6.20
Egyptian November (6.31) 6.28

BOMBAY COTTON

Late Trading

Bombay, June 7

In the local market Broach July/August opened at Rs. 142-2 and then the price advanced to Rs. 143-2. New York cotton after opening 3 down rallied to 4 points up. Broach closed finally at Rs. 143-14.

COMMODITIES

LONDON MARKETS

London, June 7

The rates at 2-30 p.m. were as follows:—

TEA

There will be no tea sales until June 13.

JUTE

First marks C.I.F. Continent New Crop June July (£16 3/4 paid and buyers) £17 buyers
Dunlop June (£19 3/4) £19 3/4
Lightning June (£18 3/4) £18 3/4

RUBBER

Spot (5 9/16 buyers) 5 5/8 paid and buyers
Forward October December (5 3/4 paid and sellers) 5 3/4 paid and buyers

LINSEED

Castorseed Bombay June July (£11 sellers) £11 sellers
Linseed Calcutta June (£12 sellers) £11 15/16 sellers
Linseed La Plata June (£10 7/8 sellers) £10 7/8 sellers
Groundnuts Coromandal July (£10 3/8 sellers) £10 1/4 sellers

METALS

Tin (£170 1/4 buyers £170 1/2 sellers. Irregular) £173 buyers £173 1/4 sellers. Firm
Lead (£13 9/16 buyers £13 5/8 sellers. Very steady) £13 9/16 buyers £13 11/16 sellers. Steady
Electrolytic Copper (£38 1/4 to £39 1/4) £39 to £40
Iron (112) 112

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Closing Quotations

Liverpool, June 7

Liverpool wheat market closed to-day at July 71.

EXCHANGES

CROSS RATES

T. T. New York On London

New York, June 7

Previous closing	4.94 1/2
To-day's opening	4.94 11/16
At the time of New York cotton closing	4.95

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, June 7

Previous closing	4.94.71
To-day's opening	4.94.43
To-day's closing	4.95.95

FRANC RATE

London, June 7

Previous closing	178.21
To-day's opening	178.21
To-day's closing	178.40

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, June 7

London exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 4.94.43 and then gradually improved to 4.95.00 on good support.

Franc opened at 178.21 but movements thereafter were restricted by the uncertainty regarding further developments.

CROSS RATES

London on Bombay (1-5 13/16) 1-5 13/16
Paris on Bombay (13.224) 13.231
New York on Bombay (36.71) 36.65
Berlin on Bombay (0.93 1/8) 0.93 1/8
London on Milan (94.02) 94.00
London on Shanghai (0-10 3/4 nominal) 0-9 3/4 nominal.
London on Kobe (1-2) 1-2

BULLION

Influx (£158) nil
Withdrawal (nil) nil
Gold (£7-0-8) £7-0-7
Silver (19 1/16d.) 19d.

DISCOUNTS

3 months (5/8 per cent to 5/8 per cent) 5/8 per cent to 5/8 per cent
4 months (5/8 per cent to 5/8 per cent) 5/8 per cent to 5/8 per cent
6 months (5/8 per cent to 3/4 per cent) 5/8 per cent to 3/4 per cent

LONDON SILVER CABLE

Bombay, June 7

The following cable regarding silver market was received in Bombay to-night:—

"Speculators bought and sold. Small business. Market was very quiet. Small sellers at the fixed rate."

LONDON SILVER

London, June 7

Spot	(19 1/16d.) 19d.
Forward	(18 3/4d.) 18 3/4d.

LONDON GOLD

London, June 7

Gold Bars Fine per ounce (£7-0-8) £7-0-7

BOMBAY BULLION

Latest Quotations

Bombay, June 7

SILVER

Silver ready	49 12 0
Silver Jetn	49 9 9
Silver Ashad	49 8 0

GOLD

Gold ready	35 6 0
Gold Jeth	35 6 3
Gold Ashad	35 6 9
Sovereign	22 10 9

WHEAT

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, June 7

Liverpool wheat opened quiet with July at 66 5/8 and October at 66 1/2. The market was moderately active on scattered buying, but later turned quiet with steadier overseas cables offsetting lack of demand for actuals.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, June 7

Chicago wheat opened steady with July at 70 3/8. After early inactivity prices advanced on better outside enquiry influenced by steadiness of Winnipeg with price rising to 71 7/8.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, June 7

U S Steel Common New Stock (dol 42 1/4) dol 42 1/4
General Motors (dol 29) dol 29 1/4
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 23 3/4) dol 23 7/8
U S Steel Preference (unquoted) unquoted.

3½% GOVT. PAPER

Closing Quotations

Bombay, June 7

The 3 1/2 per cent Government paper closed finally at Rs. 98-9 at 5 p.m.

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

Bombay, June 7

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day at £92 3/4

Closing quotations on the previous days were:—

Thursday May 26	£92 3/8
Friday May 27	£92 1/2
Monday May 30	£92 1/2
Tuesday May 31	£92 1/2
Wednesday June 1	£92 ex div
Thursday June 2	£92
Friday June 3	£92 1/2

INDIAN LOANS

London, June 7

3-30 p.m.

3 per cent Indian (£100 1/2) £100 1/2
3 1/2 per cent Indian Stock (£92 1/2) £92 7/8
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1950-55 (£112 1/2) £112 3/4
4 1/2 per cent Indian 1958-68 (£115 1/2) £115 3/4
4 per cent Indian 1949-69 (£107 1/2) £107 3/4
5 per cent Indian 1942-47 (£110) £110 1/4
3 1/2 per cent New Indian 1945-59 (£103 1/2) £103 1/2

AUSTRALIAN LOANS

5 per cent Australian Loan 1945-70 (£105 7/8) £105 3/4

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£74 3/4) £74 7/8
3 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£102 5/8) £102 3/4
4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£104 1/2) £104 5/8
5 per cent Funding Loan (£113 1/2) £113 5/8
3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£102) £102 1/4
4 per cent Victory Bonds (£11 1/2) £111 5/8

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, June 7

London stock exchange was quiet but steady with very small business passing. Giltedged securities attracted considerable attention with good business doing. Three and half per cent quoted at £92 7/8 i.e. 7 1/2 shillings higher than last closing.

INDUSTRIALS

Standard Motors (10-3) 10-7 1/2 ex bonus.
Marks and Spencer Ordinary (54-9) 49-1 1/2
Hydro Electric (dol 3 3/4) dol 3 3/4
Elec Music Industry (10-0) 10-6
Princhin Johnson (28-1 1/2) 28-6
Imperial Chemical (29-3) 29-3
Woolsworth New Ordinary (60-10 1/2) 60-10 1/2
San Paulo 7 per cent Coffee Rates 1930 (£28) £29
Dunlop Rubber (26-3) 26-3
Unilever Ordinary (36-7 1/2) 36-7 1/2
Ford Motors (17) 17
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary (£47 1/2) £48
British American Tobacco Ordinary (96-10 1/2 ex div) 97-6
Carreas A (£7) £7
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (131-3) 131-3
P and O S N Company Deferred (20-6) 20-6
Distillers (94-10 1/2) 94-10 1/2
Bredfords Dyer (3-3) 3-3
British Celanese (2-7 1/2) 2-7 1/2
J and P Coates Ordinary (36-9) 36-9
Courtaulds Ordinary (33-9) 33-9
Fine Cotton Spinners (4-0) 4-0
Vickers Limited Ordinary (20-1 1/2) 20-1 1/2
Inter Nickels (dol 42 5/8) dol 43 7/8
Indian Iron and Steel Ordinary (33-9) 33-9
Tata Steel Debenture (£104) £104

TEA SHARES

Assam Company (17) 16-3
Donaro Tea (36-6) 36-6
Empire of India (27) 26-3

JUTE SHARES

Barnagore (£8) £7 3/4 ex div

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo Dutch Rubber (22-9) 22-9
Gule Kelampong (18-9) 18-9
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (22-9) 22-9

MINING SHARES

Nandydrug (37-6) 37-6
Burma Corporation (8-9) 8-9
Rio Tintos (£13 1/2) £13 1/2
East Rand Proprietors (60-7 1/2) 60-7 1/2
Rand Mines (£9) £9

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (£16) £16
Associated Leaseholds (75) 75
Trinidad Leaseholds (90) 90
Sub Nigel (£10 7/8) £10 7/8
Spring Mines Split Shares (26-3) 26-3
Union Corporation (£8 1/4) £8 3/8

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (25 ex div) 25
Anglo Iranian (82-6) 83-1 1/2
Burma Oil (112-6) 112-6
Mexican Eagle (4-10 1/2) 4-10 1/2
Shell Transport (80-7 1/2) 80-7 1/2
Royal Dutch (£34 5/8) £35 1/4

RAILWAY SHARES

Great Western Ordinary (£47 3/8) £47 3/8
London Midland and Scott Ordinary (£16 1/4) £16 1/4
London North Eastern Def (£2 3/4) £2 3/4
Southern Def (£17) £17
London Transport 5 per cent (£126) £126
London Transport 'C' (£74 3/4) £74 3/4

CHEERFUL TONE ON STOCK EXCHANGE

Wall Street Opened Firm

(SPECIAL CABLE)

LONDON, June 7

On the Stock Exchange the undertone was cheerful despite continued paucity of business. Giltedged securities benefited on a number of small investment orders. Industrials rallied slightly. Home Rails met with bargain hunters, Germans and Austrians were unaffected by the news of default of Austrian loan interest service. Kaffirs were firm and active, then irregular.

Commodities and Foreign Exchanges were featureless.

Wall Street opened firm.

POONA DAILY WEATHER REPORT

MONSOON STRONG ON WEST COAST

POONA, June 7.

The low pressure area off the Circars and Orissa coast was more marked.

The monsoon has been strong in west coast, Deccan, Central parts of the country, north Madras coast, Orissa, local rain having fallen in rest of north east India and west United Provinces. There has also been fairly widespread thundershowers in east of Rajputana with scattered falls in Gujrat and extreme north. Temperatures were considerably below normal in United Provinces to Deccan.

The chief amounts of rainfall were:—Ajmer, Bombay, Calicut Vizagapatam, 3 inches; Gopalpur, Purnea, Hoshangabd, Jubbulpore, Sholapur, Bijapur, Gulbarga, 2; Dinajpur, Indore Nizamabad, Hyderabal, mangalore, Cochin, Calingapatam 1½; Port Blair, Jhansi Bhopal, Khandwa, Dehradun, Veraval, Simla, Jalgaon, Parbhani, Cuddapah 1.

Heavy rainfall warning:—Locally heavy rain is likeyl in Orissa, noth Madras coast, Central Provinces and west coast during the next 48 hours.—A. P.

CITY GETS TWO INCHES RAIN

Monsoonish conditions in the city continue, Bombay having had a rainfall of nearly 6.5 inches since the beginning of June. Rainfall for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., to-day was 2.72 inches at Colaba, 1.35 inches in the Fort, 1.02 inches at Byculla and 1.96 inches at Matunga.

Rainfall since the first of June till 8 a. m., to-day was 6.76 inches at Colaba (4.65 inches above normal), 5.60 inches in the Fort, 4.85 inches at Byculla and 5.60 inches at Matunga.

There has been a distinct coolness in the atmosphere and the sweltering heat has given place to a more congenial atmosphere. The maximum temperature for the 24 hours ending at 8 a. m., to-day was 85.1 degrees, four degrees below normal. The minimum temperature for the same period was 75.3 degrees, also four degrees below normal.

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY.

Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 7-6-1938.

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours plus .006 inches
Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 79.0 degrees.
Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 76.7 degrees.
Maximum temperature during 24 hrs 85.1 degrees 4.5 (below normal)
Minimum temperature during 24 hrs 75.3 degrees 3.8 (below normal)
Relative humidity at 8 a.m. 90 per cent.
Direction of wind at 8 a.m. SSE
Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 10 miles per hour
Total movement of wind in 24 hours 158 miles.
Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 33 miles per hour
Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq. 10) 10
Rainfall in 24 hours 2.72 inches
Total rainfall during the month 6.76 inches
Total rainfall during the year 8.05 inches.
Weather remarks: Rain and thunder.

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 7-6-38.

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and temperature 82.2 deg. F., a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 29.82 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.62 inches.

For correction of ships' instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

THE BOMBAY YARN EXCHANGE LTD.

HEDGE CONTRACT RATES

Bombay, June 7

Yarn No. 6 1/2s. June 106 August 105 October 104
Yarn No. 10 1/2s. June 117 August 117 October 116
Yarn No. 20 1/2s. June 157 August 156 October 156

Cotton Straddle

APPROXIMATE DIFFERENCES

Bombay New York: Broach J/A 1938 142 New York July 7.89 Rs. 35 1/4 at cross rate 4.94 1/2
Bombay New York: Broach A/M 1939 157/2 New York May 8.07 Rs. 24 1/4 at cross rate 4.94 1/2

YEN EXCHANGE PROBLEM

Rate On London Standard Leads To Stability

SIMLA, (By Mail.)

An exhaustive note on Foreign Exchange Control in Japan, has been received by the Government of India from the Indian Trade Commissioner in Japan.

Japan's control of foreign exchange at present rests upon two basic ordinances, Ordinance No. 7 of 1933 and Ordinance No. 1 of 1937, issued in accordance with the provisions of the Foreign Exchange Control Law.

The Ordinance No. 1 of 1937 deals specifically with restriction of payments for merchandise imports and of payments by foreign exchange banks under instructions given in a foreign country

1937 MEASURE

The provisions of this Ordinance are set forth in eleven articles:

(1) Purchase of foreign currency;
(2) Purchase of foreign exchange;
(3) Purchase or yen exchange in a locality where Japanese currency in legal tender;
(4) Sale of yen exchange against foreign currency as a counter-value;
(5) Remittances to a foreign country;
(6) Making payments under instructions to pay (given in a foreign country);
(7) Acquisition of letters of credit;
(8) Non-collection of the proceeds of goods (including securities) exported without negotiating covering exchange;
(9) Obtainment of foreign currency loans in a foreign country against securities and claims expressed in foreign currency collateral,
(10) Disposal of foreign currency securities; and
(11) Disposal of deposits, loans, and other claims expressed in foreign currency.

The State control of foreign exchange in Japan was accepted as a national economic policy shortly after the abandonment of the Gold Standard in December, 1931. The first Foreign Exchange Control was, however, introduced early in 1933. The object of this legislation was to prohibit or to restrict the following acts or transactions:—

(1) Acquisition or disposal of foreign currency or foreign exchange;
(2) Exportation of currency, gold bullion, alloys of gold, or articles having gold as their chief component, or the melting down, damaging or destruction of gold coins;
(3) Remittances to foreign countries by methods not included in items (1) and (2) above;
(4) Payments in Japan under instructions given in a foreign country;
(5) Engagements relating to rates of foreign exchange;
(6) Acquisition or disposal of securities, claims, or liabilities expressed in foreign currency;
(7) Issue or acquisition of letters of credit;
(8) Acts of granting credit to residents in foreign countries;
(9) Exportation or importation of securities;
(10) Exportation of goods unaccompanied by a bill of exchange for the whole or part of their value.

JAPAN PROFITS

During 1933, the invisible export receipts of Japan were sufficient to cover the adverse trade balance and still leave a credit of about 91 million yen, this being the first substantial favourable balance of payment since the Great War.

The range of yen-dollar fluctuation also narrowed considerably, and the weak tendency of the rate on the City also largely disappeared.

After the United States embargo on gold export the rate on London became the standard quotation on the Exchange Market. Since then, the yen exchange market has entered a period, more or less, of stability.—United Press.

SANGLI DURBAR ABOLISHES TOLL AT KUPWAD

The Western India Automobile Association writes under Monday's date:—

"Until yesterday motorists using the road connecting Miraj with Sangli State had to pay a toll of eight annas at Kupwad, a village in British India. The Sangli Durbar abolish this toll from Monday June 6th.

The position was that the British portion of the Miraj-Sangli road which passed through Kupwad village was maintained by the Sangli Durbar and the Bombay Government therefore allowed the Durbar to establish this toll in order partially to recoup itself for the cost of its maintenance.

The Western India Automobile Association took the matter up on a member's complaint and came to the conclusion that, since ownership of the road had not been transferred to the Sangli Durbar, the levy of a toll by the Durbar on a road belonging to British India became illegal with the abolition of tolls in Bombay Presidency. The Minister for Public Works was addressed in the matter and that he took action is evident from the abolition of the toll by the Sangli Durbar—another instance of the promptness with which the W. I. A. A. takes up members' complaints."

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVED

Bombay, June 7

O S Kaisha ss London Maru of 4414 reg tons, Captain M Takagi arrived from Yokohama via Japan Ports, Singapore Penang and Colombo with passengers and general cargo.

Scindia Steam ss Jalapalaka of 2629 reg tons, Captain A E Trick arrived from Rangoon via Colombo, Tuticorin and Cochin with rice and general cargo.

SAILED

F F Campbell ss City of Worcester of 3430 reg tons, Captain F T Mills sailed for Colombo, Madras Calcutta and Rangoon with local and same bottom cargo.

LOADING

The following vessels booked for loading on 7-6-1938.

S S Tergestea (L T) for Europe and American Ports via Aden and Port Sudan.

S S Naldera (M M) for China Japan Ports via Colombo and Penang.

STEAMERS IN DOCKS

Alexandra Dock

Bombay, June 7

1 Italy Maru 4258 Singapore 11-6 O S K Kaisha
2 City of Melbourne 4125 Karachi 10-6 K N
4 City of Worcester 3430 Colombo 7-6 F F Campbell
5 Zouave 2628 U K 8-6 Ralli Bros.
7 Soudan 3477 London 8-6 M M
9 London Maru 4414 Marmagoa 9-6 O S K Kaisha
11 Diami 4436 Colombo 8-6 Volkart Bros
13 Takliwa 3742 Durban 22-6 M M
15 Sutherland 3043 Port Siar (for orders) N F, L Dreyfus
16 Kenya 4646 Durban 8-6 M M

VICTORIA DOCK

1 Ozarda 3038 N F, N F, M M
3 Bamora 1370 P Gulf 8-6 M M
4 Varsova 1955 Busra 9-6 M M
5 Victoria Marie 882 M Coast 8-6 Merchant S N
6 Oostcappelle 348 M Coast 8-6 Merchant S N
7 Zica Maersk 1471 Madras 10-6 Grahams T.
9 Janaki 580 M Coast 10-6 Malabar S
10-11 Gogra 3126 N F N F M M
12-13 Alberto Treves 3209 Karachi 8-6 L Triestino
14 Bankura 1896 N F 22-6 M M

PRINCE'S DOCK

B Jalaratna 2325 Rangoon 11-6 Scindia S N
D/F Jalaputra 3113 Calcutta 12-6 Scindia S N
F Jalapalaka 2630 Calcutta 12-6 Scindia S N
X Rizwani 3306 N F, N F, T Morrison
P/O Saint Anthony 169 N F, N F, Indian Co-operative N Trading.

Steamers Expected

FROM LONDON

Durenda 8-6-38 P and O S N
Naldera 9-6-38 P and O
Bangalore 18-6-38 P and O S N
Narkunda 16-6-38 P and O
Ranpura 23-6-38 P and O
Strathmore 30-6-38 P and O

FROM LIVERPOOL

City of Venice 13-6-38 K Nixon
Clan Graham 10-6-38 J Finlay

FROM HAMBURG

Goldenfels 11-7-38 L Edwards
Brauenfels 12-6-38 L Edward

FROM GOTHENBURG

Rinda 29-6-38 L Edwards
Formosa 12-6-38 L Edwards

FROM HULL

City of Leicester 20-6-38 J Finlay

FROM NEW YORK

Stell Trader 14-6-38 M M
Ward 13-6-38 L Edwards
City of Bath 24-6-38 F F Campbell
Pres Polk 30-6-38 F F Campbell

FROM TRIESTE

Fusijama 12-6-38 L Triestino
Conte Verde 28-6-38 L Triestino

FROM CHINA AND JAPAN

Conte Bian Camano 2-6-38 L Triestino
Toyama Maru 30-6-38 N Y Kaisha
London Maru 8-6-38 O S K
Tango Maru 30-5-38 N Y Kaisha
Soudan 5-6-38 P and O S N
Tokiwa Maru 13-6-38 N Kaisha
Himalaya Maru 23-6-38 O S Kaisha

FROM BASRA

Barpeta 9-6-38 M M
Tergestea 10-6-38 L Triestino
Bandra 16-6-38 M M
Vita 11-6-38 M M

FROM SYDNEY

Cathay 18-6-38 P and O S N

FROM DURBAN

Tairea 11-6-38 M M
Queda 9-6-38 M M

FROM CALCUTTA

Gharinda 13-6-38 M M

FROM RANGOON

Howra 9-6-38 M M
Jalakrishna 11-6-38 Scindia S N
Jallavijaya 6-6-38 Scindia S N

FROM KARACHI

Goldenfels 23-6-38 L Edward
Sturmfels 24-6-38 L Edwards
Tango Maru 9-6-38 N Y Kaisha

Sailing Dates

FOR LONDON

Cathay 18-6-38 P and O S N
Chitral 11-6-38 P and O S N
Carthage 25-6-38 P and O S N
Soudan 7-6-38 P and O S N
Corfu 28-5-38 P and O S N

FOR LIVERPOOL

City of Venice 6-7-38 K Nixon
Circassia 1-7-38 Anchor Line

FOR HAMBURG

Goldenfels 29-6-38 L Edwards

FOR NEW YORK

Pres Garfield 28-7-38 F F Campbell

FOR TRIESTE

Terjestea 10-6-38 L Triestino
Conte Rosso 14-6-38 L Triestino

FOR GENOA

Victoria 29-6-38 L Triestino

FOR CHINA AND JAPAN

Conte Verde 28-6-38 L Triestino
Ranpura 23-6-38 P and O S N
Italy Maru 9-6-38 O S Kaisha
Tokiwa Maru 1-7-38 N Y Kaisha
Naldera 9-6-38 P and O S N
London Maru 26-6-38 O S Kaisha
Alberto Treves 10-6-38 L Triestino

FOR SYDNEY

Narkunda 16-6-38 P and O S N
Alipore 18-6-38 P and O S N
Fusijama 13-6-38 L Triestino
Strathmore 30-6-28 P and O S N

FOR BASRA

Bamora 8-6-38 M M
Barpeta 15-6-38 M M
Varsova 9-6-38 M M
Victoria 23-6-38 L Triestino

FOR DURBAN

Kenya 8-6-38 M M
Takliwa 22-6-38 M M

FOR CALCUTTA

Jalapalaka 12-6-38 Scindia S N
Jaiaputra 12-6-38 Scindia S N

FOR KARACHI

Goldenfels 15-6-38 L Edwards

B. P. T. GENERAL LANDING DATES

S S Strathallan (boats) 6-6-38
S S Versova 6-6-38
S S Victoria Marie 6-6-38
S S Oostcappelle 6-6-38
S S Janaki 6-6-38
S S Parvati 6-6-38

EXPORTS

S S Caithness for Liverpool: 250 bales wool raw Ralli Bros; 2624 bags gr nut oil cake M Bhuta; 25 bales ctn twist waste L O Vora; 325 bales cotton fly L O Vora; 65 bags kardi seeds G Gokalchand; 120 bags kang grain G Gokalchand.

For Manchester: 250 bales raw cotton N Rajaram; 436 bales raw cotton A Clayton; 100 bales raw cotton B Cursondas; 125 bales raw cotton Patel Cotton

S S City of Melbourne for Liverpool: 108 bags kang grain B Balwant; 310 bags gr nuts B Balwant; 75 bales ctn waste P D Vora.

For Manchester: 1280 bags myrabollams H Bhagwandas; 250 bales raw cotton G Dossa.

S S Soudan for Havre: 1232 bags myrabollams H Bhagwandas.

S S Djambi for Manila: 10 bales grey ctn yarn T M Kaisha.

S S Sumatra for Fiume: 110 bales raw cotton N Rajaram.

S S Sutherland for Port Said (for orders): 1680 bags gr nut oil cake L Dreyfus.

S S Tango Maru for Yokohama: 1800 bundles tin plate chipping scrap Ali Bros; 210 tons old iron scrap C Manilal; 175 bales raw cotton T M Kaisha.

For Kobe: 3800 bales raw cotton T M Kaisha; 1700 bales raw cotton L Ramji.

S S Naldera for Hongkong: 54 bales grey cotton yarn E D Sassoon.

S S Targestea for Trieste: 170 bales raw cotton K Devchand; 55 bales raw cotton Volkart Bros

For Venice: 55 bales raw cotton Volkart Bros.

For Genoa: 165 bales raw cotton A Clayton.

For Yokkaichi: 200 bales raw cotton G K Kaisha

IMPORTS

S S Tango Maru Agents N Y Kaisha from Colombo: 1284 bags copra; 96 chests tea.

From Canton: 367 bags cassia.

From Penang: 64 bundles hemp bags; 423 bags pearl tapioca; 91 bags betelnuts.

From Singapore: 1903 bags betelnuts; 52 cases silk piecegoods; 154 bags sago flour; 400 cases pine apples.

From Yokohama: 208 cases silk piecegoods; 300 drums bleaching powder; 167 cases rayon and ctn mixed piecegoods; 75 cases slates; 300 bales strawboards; 70 bales staple fibre yarn; 55 cases rayon piecegoods.

From Moji: 50 drums calcium carbide; 40 pkgs auto tyres.

From Tokyo: 150 cases school slates; 459 cases grey m ctn yarn; 122 cases toys.

From Hongkong: 117 bales raw silk; 55 rolls matting; 590 bags cassia; 100 bags green beans; 150 bags sugarcandy; 135 cases wet preserves; 50 cases antimony regulus.

From Nagoya: 104 cases ctn piecegoods; 55 cases glassware; 340 cases tiles; 145 cases porcelainware.

From Osaka: 325 bundles chestwood; 211 cases glassware; 65 cases staple fibre yarn; 1151 cases ctn piecegoods; 809 cases ctn yarn; 178 cases white ctn mull; 41 cases provision; 328 cases glass bangles; 760 kegs paint; 265 c/r galvd iron sheets; 110 cases cell bangles.

From Yokkaichi: 40 cases cast iron ware.

Plea For Homoeopathic University In Western India

Dr. R. R. Thakar addressing the Presidency Homoeopathic Medical Conference Session at Poona on Sunday thanked the medical fraternity for having elected him as India's representative at the 13th Session of the International Homoeopathic Medical League to be held at Monte Carlo in August next. He said:

The most important question, that I would like to raise, is to combine all the homoeopaths and the members of all different Homoeopathic Medical Associations into only one big body of the Western India Homoeopathic Medical Association and to establish one Homoeopathic University along with a well-equipped hospital with a genuine college and laboratory in Bombay for the sake of whole Western India.

The condition of the Homoeopathic Medical practitioners in Western India is really going from bad to worse. However I am very glad to see the enthusiastic efforts of the Maharashtrian Homoeopaths towards the general uplift of the science and its practitioners in starting a new body of Presidency Homoeopathic Medical Association.

Bombay Operators Control American Cotton Prices

ACTIVE SELLING WEAKENS NEW YORK MARKET

Favourable Week-End Weather

BOMBAY, June 7.

Bombay Operators control American Cotton prices and their operations are having considerable effect.

Weakness of the local market was followed by New York Cotton Market on Monday where prices declined by 17 points.

The weakness of Bombay with active selling from Bombay contributed to the downturn in the New York Cotton Market where demand was generally poor, with day's action of prices strengthening the belief that last week's rally was largely technical.

The New York cotton futures market opened steady with a moderately active trading in near months. Prices declined on foreign selling, especially July, this readily supplying quite active buying by spot interests but prices were easily influenced by selling from any source. Week-end weather was favourable especially higher night temperatures in Western belt. Prices rallied partially on short covering and New Orleans buying. Finally renewed selling developed and the market was quiet.

At the opening July was quoted 7 points down at 7.99 and improved to 8.00 which was the highest level reached soon after the opening. Later on there was steady selling which depressed prices and July was quoted 7.88 which was the lowest level quoted during the last hour. The market closed at a net decline of 16 to 17 points. Spot cotton prices declined 17 points at 7.89c. per lb.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

The New Orleans cotton futures market was also quiet on increased selling and closed at a net decline of 12 to 15 points spot cotton prices declined 15 points at 8.07c. per lb.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

The Liverpool Cotton Exchange was closed on Monday.

BEARISH TONE IN LIVERPOOL

"The market has continued under almost constant pressure from Bombay selling and the hedging of outside growths. Buying has come from houses with American connections who have been procuring profits on straddle difference with New York, where the market has ruled steadier owing to the operation of the loan, which continues to restrict Southern selling. "Nears" have improved in relation to distants on covering by merchants influenced by the absence of tenders, and reports of a better spot inquiry. Manchester reports a quiet market, with a fair inquiryy for cloth, but only scattered sales for export and home trade, and yarns purchased sparingly.

CROP DOING WELL.

The crop is considered to be doing well, and the general statistical picture remains as bearish as ever. Present indications point to a world carry-over of all growths of 23,000,000 bales, with the Government financing nearly 7,000,000 bales in an effort to hold prices up artificially. Operators generally are now inclined to furnish more support owing to the uncertainty of the growing season ahead, but as can be seen from the figures mentioned it will have to be a total crop disaster before any anxiety need be felt regarding next season's supplies.

The Sakel tenders on the Giza contract have gone into strong hands, and with a reduction in the Sakel basis "nears" have shown some improvement. Later, however, a weaker tendency in Alexandria on increased receipts has brought in more hedge selling in both Giza and Uppers, but this has been taken by a local house buying to close out a straddle against American."

LANCASHIRE TRADE.

No important new development has taken place in the Manchester market this week and business has remained in a narrow groove. The relation of clearances to stocks in most overseas markets creates no great call for replacements, while the weakness of the raw material and the unsettled international situation alike counsel caution as regards buying in anticipation of requirements.

YARN AGREEMENT.

Contrary to statements published in some quarters there is no sign of a break in the yarn price agreements, which continue to be observed loyally by all the spinners which are parties to them, although most of the fresh business is going to the others. Margins on cloth, unfortunately, display no such degree of uniformity, and the irregularity of quotation is doing no service to the trade, as buyers are chary of committing themselves to transactions when they cannot be sure that they have found the cheapest seller.

The revolt in Brazil and the suspension of textile import licences in Colombia have impaired the potential usefulness to Manchester of the Central and South American group of markets, and there have been no compensating improvements elsewhere. The movement of goods in West Africa remains slow and new business is confined to handfuls of specialities, and though there have been a few inquiries for standard cloths for Egypt no firm offers have been received from that market. There has been a slight revival in Indian interest, especially in printed and dyed goods, and one or two of the Continental countries have sent rather more inquiry, though the offers have been poor.

In the yarn market there have been few satisfactory features, and the only interesting one has been the persistent demand for lisle qualities for Hong-Kong.—"M. G."

PRIVATE CABLES—

New York July highest (10-49 a.m.) ..... 8.00—06
New York July lowest (2-48 p.m.) ..... 7.88—18

Messrs. Patel Brothers have received the following cables:—

New York Cotton Exchange Service cabled us:—

Crop weather fairly favourable. Crop doing fairly well. Weekly weather forecast moderately favourable. World mill trends adverse. Commodities and domestic business lower. Current price slightly below possible mandatory loan rate.

Cable received from Messrs. Geo. H. McFadden and Bros:

Heavy Bombay July selling.

Their Liverpool Agents cabled:

Renewed liquidation; foreign selling.

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co. Ltd. have received to-day the following cable information from their foreign friends:

New York: Market reacted under foreign selling and straddle reversing.

Foreign selling dominating. Trade price fixing July principal support.

Messrs. Devkaran Nanjee have received the following cables from their New York friends:—

'July liquidation continuing. Market affected unfavourably by decline in Bombay. Weather generally favourable. Small business in dry goods. Prefer buying on declines only.'

'Bombay selling. Official forecast indicates showers in the West and mostly dry weather in the eastern half of Belt.'

'Market heavy.'

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, June 6

July	7.89—17
October	7.95—16
December	7.98—16
January	7.98—16
March	8.04—15
May	8.07—16
Middling Spot	7.89—17

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New York, June 6

July	8.04—15
October	8.08—12
Decembe.	8.10—14
Middling Spot	8.07—15

NEW YORK

New York, June 6

11-00 A.M. RANGES—
Market closed.
NOON CALL—

July	7.95
October	7.99
December	8.02

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS

New York, June 6

Day's receipts at all U S Ports	4,000 bales
Day's exports to Great Britain	nil.
Day's exports to the Continent	5,000 bales
Day's exports to China and Japan	1,000 bales

Cotton Arrivals

	Bales.
Receipts into Bombay on 4th June	5,091
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1937	2,270,569
Receipts into Bombay same time last season	2,840,055
Decrease	569,486

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HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, June 6

Broach J/A 1938 opening 146 1/4 highest 146 1/4 lowest 144 closing 144

Broach A/M 1939 opening 161 1/4 highest 161 1/4 lowest 159 1/8 closing 159 1/8

Oomra July opening 129 5/8 highest 129 5/8 lowest 128 1/2 closing 128 1/2

Oomra D/J opening 141 highest 141 lowest 140 closing 140

Bengal July opening 108 highest 108 lowest 106 1/4 closing 106 1/4

Bengal D/J opening 119 1/2 highest 120 lowest 118 3/4 closing 118 3/4

Tejimandi for Broach July August 1938 (21-6-38) Rs. 4 3/4

Tejimandi for Broach July August 1938 (24-6-38) Rs. 5 1/8

Tejimandi for Broach April May 1939 (24-3-39) Rs. 23 3/4

Osaka Sampin

Osaka, June 7

June	205.00
August	197.50
September	198.50
October	199.00
December	200.00

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, June 7

Cotton prices again sagged and reached recently touched low levels. There was some professional selling while the improvement witnessed in the last week was purely of an adjustment nature. Following a decline of 17 points in New York cotton futures the local market opened to-day at Rs. 141/14 for Broach J/A delivery and declined to Rs. 140/14 on general selling including recent buyers. Later on there was scattered covering and prices rallied to Rs. 141/4. The tone was easy.

Liverpool market opened at a decline of 9 points and later on was 5 points down on straddle reversing by Bombay operators. The market closed at 5 p.m. as under:—

F G M G—	
Broach J/A 1938	142 4 0
Broach A/M 1939	157 8 0
Fine M G—	
Oomra July	126 12 0
Oomra D/J	138 4 0
F G M G—	
Bengal July	104 12 0
Bengal D/J	117 4 0

Weather Over U.-S. Cotton Belt

Eastern: Generally fairf, continued warmer, possible, thunder showers.

Central: Partly cloudy.

Western: Partly cloudy, in West Texas widely scattered thunder showers in eastern portion.

Cotton Room Rates

Bombay, June 7

	Extra Sprfine	Sup	Fine	FG	Good
M G—					
Bengal U P		111	108	105	102
Punjab		111	108	105	102
Rajputana		111	108	105	102
Oomra No. 3	132	129	126	123	
C P No. 1	145	142	139	136	
C P No. 2	137	134	131	128	
Broach No. 2		144	142	140	138
Punjab Ame		165	162	159	156
Surat		197	194	191	188
Rajpipla		189	186	183	180
Navsari		203	200	197	194

Ready Cotton Quotations

Bombay, June 7

Bengal Superfine	108/10
Bengal Fine	105/06
Bengal F G	103/05
C P 1	136/41
C P 2	131/32
Arvi	132/33
Amraoti	126/28
Ellichpur	132/33
Berar	126/28
Khandesh	116/20
Jalna Sailu	118/22
Burwah Sanavad	131/32
Khandwa	131/32
Harda Khirkiya	131/33
Mathia	106/11
Malkapur	122/26
Broach	142/43
Punjab 4 F	157/64
Punjab 289 F	192/97
Sindh N T	172/7
Kampala	246/47
Jinja	237/38
Navsari	204/05

Indian Cotton Figures

Bombay, June 7

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY Since 1st Sept

In full-pressed bales

2 days.	This year	Last year
Khandesh 105	53,386	205,533
Central India	42,980	328,979
Barsi and Nagar 57	148,111	171,978
Hyderabad Gaorani	40,015	100,374
Berar 215	320,490	564,969
Central Provinces 449	76,351	113,434
Total Oomras 826	681,333	1,485,267
Dholera 1,341	116,296	129,972
N W Provinces	2,803	9,555
Rajputana	15,581	89,696
Sind Punjab	511,353	327,702
Broach 20	260,530	336,978
Coompta and Dharwar 389	46,825	56,853
Westerns Northerns 103	21,367	35,385
Cocoanada	19	147
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	3,052	13,828
American	177,711	12,477
Egyptian African and Sudan 3,892	435,099	351,538
Comilla, Burma and other sorts	1,171	36
Total 6,571	2,277,140	2,849,434

Exports From Bombay

1st Sept to 2nd June

In full-pressed bales

Yesterday	This year	Last year
Europe 1,841	247,319	422,051
Japan and China 2,440	584,776	1,233,430
Coast Ports 376	53,477	29,505
Up-country by Rail	301,250	219,419
Afloat in harbour for Europe China and Japan	3,384	93,354
Total 4,457	1,190,206	1,997,759

American Cotton Figures

F P Bales	1937-38	1936-37
Receipts to date 6-6-38	7680000	6715000
Receipts yesterday 6-6-38	4000	4000
Exports to date 6-6-38	5565000	5402000
Stock at Ports 3-6-38	2608000	1344000
Stock at Interior Towns 3-6-38	2164000	1062000
Stock at Liverpool 3-6-38	1173000	917000
Visible Supply 3-6-38	6259000	3847000
Quantity in sight 3-6-38	13242000	12699000
Quantity out of sight 3-6-38	9864000	12104000

Produce Receipts

Bombay, June 7

Wheat	2,227 cwts.
Linseed	5,331 cwts.
Rape, Rai and Mustard seeds	473 cwts.
Gingellyseed	196 cwts.
Poppyseed	111 cwts.
Groundnuts	4,169 cwts.
Castorseed	358 cwts.
Rice	10,314 cwts.
Myrabollams	624 cwts.
Cottonseed	646 cwts.
Gram	1,182 cwts.
Joowar	731 cwts.
Maize	40 cwts.
Barley	640 cwts.
Bajree	1,629 cwts.
Indian sugar	21,020 cwts.

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, June 7

Yesterday London markets were closed. In New York Dollar Sterling cross rate was quoted 4.94 1/2. New York Spot silver was quoted at 42 3/4 while Montreal futures were unchanged. Shanghai T T on London was quoted at 0.10. The local market was quiet today with restricted turnover in silver and gold where there was scattered selling.

GOLD

Ready	35 6 3
Jeth delivery	35 6 6
Jeth Tejimandi	0 2 6
Ashad delivery	35 7 0
Ashad Tejimandi	0 4 9

SILVER

Ready	49 10 0
Jeth delivery	49 8 0
Jeth Tejimandi	0 6 0
Ashad delivery	49 6 0
Ashad Tejimandi	1 0 0

Montreal Silver

Montreal, June 6

June	42.75
July	43.10
September	42.90

Bombay Metals

Bombay, June 7

Yellow metal sheets	Rs. 36-7-0
Copper sheets	Rs. 41-2-0

Tone: Steady.

Groundnuts And Seeds

Bombay, June 7

Groundnuts Aug—	
Opening	27 7 0
Highest	27 8 9
Lowest	27 2 6
Closing	27 6 9
Castorseeds Sept—	
Opening	29 12 0
Highest	29 12 0
Lowest	29 6 6
Closing	29 10 0
Cottonseeds Sept—	
Opening	18 15 0
Highest	18 15 3
Lowest	18 10 0
Closing	18 13 0

Bombay Sugar

Bombay, June 7

Ready Javas	Rs. 15 0 0
Shipment July Sept	4 15 0
Shipment Oct Dec	4 15 0
Kesar	12 7 0
Saraya	12 3 0
Java Spot	F 5.20

Osaka Cotton

Osaka, June 7

August	49.70
September	50.00

WALL-STREET MARKET

New York, June 6

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following report showing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dollars
Electric Power and Light	10
Electric P and Light 7 per cent Pfd	36
Electric Bond Common	7 1/4
Electric Bofnd 5 per cent Pfd	46
Consolidated (Gas) Edison	24
Columbia Gas and Electric	6 1/4
United Corporation	2
Northern S Power A	11
Int Tel and Tel 4 1/2 per cent	93
American Tel and Tel	129 1/2
Western Union Telg	21 1/2
Great North Pfd Rly	15
New York Central Rly	11 1/2
Firestone Rubber	17
Firestone Rubber 6 per cent Pfd	82
Pullman	24
Eaton Mfg	3
United States Steel	42 1/4
Bethelehem Steel	44 1/4
Ludlum Steel	13 1/2
Republic Steel	12
Anaconda Copper Mining	23 3/4
Int Nickel of Canada	43
Chrysler Motors	42 1/2
General Motors	29
General Electric	33 3/4
Union Carbide	64 1/2
Consolidated Oil	8 1/2
Socony Oil	12 3/4
Chase Bank	27 1/2
National City Bank	22 3/4
Amr Car and Foundry	16
Amr Can	86 1/4

Turnover 470,000 shares. Believe market will advance fufrther. Steel operations for the week 26.2 per cent. United Corp. has passed dividend on preferred share.

THE CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA, LTD.

Following is the Statement of Liabilities and Assets of the Central Bank of India, Limited, for the fortnight ended 31st May, 1938:—

LIABILITIES	Rs.	Rs.
Capital subscribed 3,36,00,000		
Capital paid-up		1,68,00,000
Reserve and Contingency Fund		75,00,000
Deposits, Debts due to Banks and Agents, Bills Payable etc.		29,77,00,000
Sundries including Branch Adjustments		6,68,45,000
		38,88,45,000

ASSETS	Rs.	Rs.
Cash Credits and Overdrafts on Government and other Authorized Securities		8,36,84,000
Loans on Government and other Authorized Securities		4,95,04,000
Bills Discounted		1,77,40,000
Lands and Buildings		1,24,03,000
Sundries including Branch Adjustments		5,25,78,000
Cash in hand, at Banks, Moneys at Call and and Investments in War Bonds, Government Paper, Treasury Bills, Shares, Debentures etc.		17,27,36,000
		38,88,45,000

GOVT. SECURITIES

Bombay, June 7

2 3/4 per cent 1948/52 Loan	100/4
3 per cent 1951/54 Loan	102/13
3 per cent 1941 Bonds	102 12
3 per cent (1963-65)	98/3
3 1/2 per cent G P Notes (Cash)	98/13
3 1/- per cent 1947/50 Loan	106/2
4 per cent 1943 Bonds	108/6
4 per cent 1960/70 Loan	113/6
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60 Loan	119/10
3 per cent U.P Bonds	97/0
5 per cent 1939/44 Loan	103/9
5 per cent 1940/43 Loan	106/15
5 1/2 per cent 1938/40 Loan	101/5

TAX FREES.

per cent 1945/55 Loan	117/14
4 per cent 1953/68 Mysore	112/8
5 per cent 1955 Mysore	124/8
5 1/2 per cent 1938 Mysore	101/4

CORPORATION DEBENTURES

4 per cent 1974 B P T	110/8
4 per cent 1974 M Deb	109/8
5 per cent 1959 M Deb	118
6 per cent 1954 M Deb	131/0
6 per cent 1956 K P T	131/0

Note:—Business restricted. Quiet.

AMERICAN COTTON CROP ESTIMATE

Bombay, June 7

No precipitation. Warmer in entire Belt, rain expected in Western Belt. The Daily Official U. S. Government forecast says: Entire Belt partly cloudy.

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, June 7

B C RATES—	
T T D D 1/5 3/4	
LONDON—	
Bank's selling T T D D 1/5 3/4 June-Dec.	
Bank's buying T T 1/5 13/16	
Bank's buying D D 1/5 7/8	
Bank's buying 3 months 1/5 15/16	
NEW YORK—	
Bank's selling T T 274	
Bank's buying T T 271 3/4	
PARIS—	
Bank's selling T T 1,305	
Bank's buying T T 1,335	
JAPAN—	
Bank's selling T T 79	
Bank's buying T T 78	
AMSTERDAM—	
Bank's selling D D 68	
JAVA—	
Bank's selling D D 65 7/8	
HONGKONG—	
Bank's selling D D 85	
SHANGHAI—	
Bank's selling D D 63	
SINGAPORE—	
Bank's selling D D 157 1/2	
BERLIN—	
Bank's selling D D 89 1/2	
CROSS RATE—	
New York London 4.94 3/8 6th instant	
Japan London 1/2 1/64 7th instant	
Hongkong London 1/2 15/16 7th instant	
Shanghai 0/10 7th instant	
Java London 8.95 1/4 7th instant	
London Paris closed 6th instant	
London Belgium closed 6th instant	
London Switzerland closed 6th instant	
London Berlin closed 6th instant	
London Stockholm closed 6th instant	
London New York closed 6th instant	
London Amsterdam closed 6th instant	
London Italy closed 6th instant	
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Uncertain.	
Gold £7-0-8 4th instant	
Gold closed 6th instant	
Silver London Ready 19 1/16 4th instant	
Silver London Ready closed 6th instant	
Silver London Forward 18 3/4 4th instant	
Silver London Forward closed 6th instant	
Silver New York Ready 43 4th instant	
Silver New York Ready 43 6th instant	
London discounts 3 months 5/8 per cent 4th instant	
London discounts 3 months 5/8 per cent 6th instant	
London discounts 6 months 5/8 per cent 4th instant.	
London discounts 6 months 5/8 per cent 6th instant	
Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent.	
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.	
Money:—	
Call 1/2 per cent.	
3 months 1 per cent.	
6 months 1 1/4 per cent.	
Tone:—Easy.	

BOMBAY COTTON STATISTICS

Receipts from 1st September 1937 to 2nd June 1938 2,262,020
Same time previous season 2,817,611

Exports from 1st September 1937 to 2nd June 1938

	1937	1936
United Kingdom	37,715	69,082
Continent	209,504	344,359
China	78,837	16,100
Japan	505,939	1,217,330
Coast Ports	53,477	29,505
U. S. A.	100	8,610
	885,572	1,684,986

Total exports by rail 1st September 1937 to 2nd June 1938 301,250
Estimated Mill consumption in Bombay from 1st September 1937 to 2nd June 1938 335,308
Same period last year 579,571
Estimated stock of raw cotton held by exporters, Dealers and Mills in Bombay on 2nd June 1938 1,250,911
Same time last year 1,066,804

KARACHI STATISTICS

Total receipts from Up-country from 1st September 1937 to 26th May 1938 1,460,602
Same time previous season 2,194,405
Total cotton shipped from 1st September 1937 to 19th May 1938 1,014,443
Same time previous year 1,710,282

Pay In—June 10 Pay Out—June 14

Aggressive Selling By Professional Bears In Steel Shares

BULLS BECOME NERVOUS DESPITE DIVIDEND DECLARATION

Small Rally Towards Close

BOMBAY, June 7.

After the close of the market, yesterday, dividends on Tata Steel shares were declared and the market was inclined to take a bullish view.

In private some 'saodas' in Tata Steel Dfd. shares were done at Rs. 1030|- and it was freely said in the Dalal Street that Bulls will make an attempt to push up prices to-day.

Yesterday the Wall-Street market was steady with the U. S. Government's spending programme expected to provide at least a temporary fillip for American business and U. S. Steel shares closed at an advance of dol. 3|4 and Anaconda coppers gained dol. 1|8.

With this news the local market was generally expected to present a firmer tendency and the market opened very steady with Tata Steel Dfd. shares quoted at Rs. 1020|-. Bulls who were expected to lend support were soon displaced by professional Bears who assumed the control with large selling orders and the market readily yielded to the selling pressure and prices weakened. Thus recent buyers became nervous and failing to see any rally came out to unload and the price structure gave way. Thus in to-day's one hour session despite favourable advices, the market was unable to hold the recent improvement. Towards the close there was a small rally.

BEARS ARGUE THAT THE DIVIDENDS DECLARED WAS DUE TO SATISFACTORY WORKING OF THE PAST YEAR WHILE THE PROSPECTIVE SITUATION IS NOT ENCOURAGING AND EVEN TO SECURE DIVIDENDS DECLARED BUYERS HAD TO SUFFER HEAVY LOSSES IN WAY OF THE DECLINE IN THE VALUES OF SHARES. BULLS RELY ON THE PRESENT ATTRACTIVE LEVEL OF SHARE VALUES AND HOPES OF GETTING FAIRLY SATISFACTORY DIVIDENDS IN COMING YEARS. HOWEVER FOR A SUSTAINED RISE. WE WILL HAVE TO AWAIT IMPROVEMENT IN THE INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC CONDITION AND FOREIGN MARKETS.

Bombay Dyeing shares opened to-day at Rs. 817|- and closed at Rs. 802|- while Century Mill shares closed at Rs. 240|- after opening at Rs. 248|-. Centrals were quoted at Rs. 223|- and Kohinoors closed at Rs. 261|- while Simplex shares were done at Rs. 75|-.

Associated Cement shares opened at Rs. 119|- and declined to Rs. 117|-. Andhras changed hands at Rs. 1435|- and Powers closed at Rs. 1365|-.

Tata Steel Dfds. opened at Rs. 1020|- and after declining to Rs. 950|- closed at Rs. 965|- while ordinary shares opened at Rs. 22 and closed unchanged at Rs. 223|-. Bombay Burmas were quiet at Rs. 480|-.

TEXTILE SHARES

BOMBAY, June 7.

100 Ahm. Advance (Rs. 7)	342 8
250 BOM DYEING (Rs. 25y)	802 8
10 CENTURY (Rs. 8 y)	240 0
100 CENTRAL INDIA (Rs. 41)	223 12
100 COLABA (Rs. 4 y)	138 12
100 Coorla (Rs. 5 y)	92 8
250 David	75 0
250 Dawn (Rs. 10 y)	362 8
1 E. D. Sassoon Df. (nil)	0-5-0
10 Finlay (Rs. 5 y)	122 8
100 Gokak (Rs. 3 y)	141 4
1.000 Hindustan	1,600 0
100 Indore (nil)	56 4
100 Khatau (Rs. 3 y)	100 0
100 KOHINOOR (Rs. 8 plus 4 b)	261 4
250 Laxmi (Rs. 12-8 y)	471 4
250 Madras United	35 0
1,000 Morarji (Rs. 40 y)	1,075 0
250 Model	45 0
50 MYSORE (Rs. 2)	120 0
200 NEW GREAT (nil)	193 12
100 Osmanshahi (Re. 1)	42 8
100 PHOENIX (Rs. 10 y)	230 0
25 Sassoon Silk (Rs. 2)	58 8
1,000 Sholapur (Rs. 30 y)	1,910 0
50 SIMPLEX (Rs. 2 y)	75 0
100 SWADESHI (Rs. 6 y)	184 6
100 Swan (Rs. 4 y)	102 8
500 Vishnu (Rs. 50 y)	1,172 8
1.000 Western (Rs. 40 y)	800 0

BANKS.

50-100 Baroda (Rs. 2-8)	116 8
25-50 Central (Rs. 12)	31 0
500 Imperial (Rs. 30)	1,552 8
125-500 Im. Contry (Rs. 7-8)	384 6
51-100 India (Rs. 2-8)	142 8
100 Reserved Bank (Rs. 2-8)	116 0
5 Union (As. 4)	5-11-0

CEMENTS.

100 ASSOCIATED (Rs. 7-8)	117 0

INSURANCE.

100-500 Empire (Rs. 14)	702 8
15-100 Jupiter (As. 12)	13 6
20 Mercantile	55 0
15-70 New India (Rs. 14)	38 10
200 Oriental	4,250 0
10-50 Vulcan (As. 8)	7 6

ELECTRIC.

100 Ahm. Old (Rs. 6-8)	141 4
1.000 ANDHRA VALLEY (Rs. 40 plus 39)	1435 0
10 Ajmer (As. 8)	13 0
50 BOM TRAM (Rs. 2-8)	124 11
100 B'bay Suburban (Rs. 6-8)	136 4
10 Broach (As. 5)	10 6
100 Karachi (4)	215 10
100 Poona (4)	196 4
100 Surat (Rs. 3)	168 2
100 TATA HYDRO (Rs. 318 plus 3)	154 1
1.000 TATA POWER (Rs. 37 plus 29)	1,365 0

RAILWAYS

500 Ahmedabad Prantij	955 0
100 C. Province	101 8
100 Dn Baramati	104 4
100 Gujarat	96 8
100 Mandra Bhon	99 1
100 Pachora Jamner	96 4
100 Sara Sirajgunj	100 12
500 Tapti Valley	728 11

MINING

9 Burma Corp. (As. 11)	5 7
2sh. Indian Copper (As. 1-6)	2 0
10 Indian Iron and Steel (Rs. 1-8)	22 6
10 SHIVRAJPUR (Rs. 2)	33 8
30 TATA STEEL DEFD. (Rs. 39-3-8)	965 0
75 TATA STEEL ORD. (Rs. 10)	228 0

MISCELLANEOUS.

100 ALCOCK (Rs. 5)	275 0
50 BELAPUR SUGAR	146 4
200-250 Bombay Safe Dep.	855 0
250 BOMBAY STEAM (Rs 2)	226 4
125 B. BURMA (Rs. 20)	480 0
50 D Conty (Rs. 8)	161 4
8 sh. Br. B. Petrol	2-14-0
50 BOMBAY TELEPHONE (As. 2-8)	90
100 I. BLEACHING (Rs. 4)	127 8
50 I. Invest Trust	39 8
100 I. Radio Defd. (12)	527 8
100 I. Radio Ord. (15)	390 0
1,000 Port Canning (Rs. 26)	665 0
30 Premier Con. (Rs. 2-15)	61 8
16 Scindia	17 9
25 Tata Oil Mill (nil)	25 0

PREFERENCE.

7 p.c. Andhra Valley	1,520 0
6 p.c. Bombay Steam	285 0
7 p.c. B'bay Tram (T.F.)	68 4
5 p.c. Central India (T. F.)	545 0
6-1/4 p.c. Prem. Const. 1st	102 0
6-1/4 p.c. Prem. Const. 2nd	94 4
7 p.c. Tata Hydro	155 0
7-1/2 p.c. Tata Power	1,550 0
6 p.c. Tata Steel 1st	212 8
7½ p. c. Tata Steel 2nd	171 12
7 p.c. Vishnu	703 12

DEBENTURES.

3-3/4 p.c. Andhra Valley	101 8
6 p.c. Andhra Valley	108 14
4 p.c Bombay Telephone	52 0
7 p.c. Sholapur	77 0
6 p.c. Tata Hydro	108 12

(Latest Dividend in Brackets and Capital Letters indicate shares on Forward List).

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Bombay, June 7

Bombay Dyeing (823/12) 817 815 810 801 802
Century (247/3) 248 241 242 233 240
Central India (228/12) 227 222 223
Kohinoor (269/6) 270 260 261
New Great (200) 201 195 193
Simplex (78/2) 77 75
Swadeshi (190) 188 187 182 184
Associated Cements (119) 119 118 117 116/12 117/4 117
Andhra (1437/8) 1437 1435
Tata Hydro (154/11) 153/12 154
Tata Power (1372/8) 1375 1370 1365 1352 1367 1365
Tram Ord (124/6) 124
T Steel Defd (985) 1020 1005 995 1002 985 975 965 955 970 950 965
T Steel Ord (228) 232 230 228 225 226 223 224 221/8 223
Tata Steel 2nd pref (172/8) 172/8 171/12
Bellapur (148/12) 147 146
B Steam (227/8) 226
B Burma (482/8) 487 485 480 481 476 480

Tenders For Treasury Bills

Tenders for Rs. One Crore of three months' Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday the 7th June 1938. Total amount offered was Rs. 2,82,75,000. Tenders at Rs. 99-10-9 and above were accepted in full and those at Rs. 99-10-6 allotted approximately 49 per cent. Lower tenders were rejected. Total amount accepted was Rs. 1,00,00,000, the average rate of accepted tenders being Rs. 1-6-0 per cent per annum.

Tenders for Rs. 1,00,00,000 of three months' Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday, the 14th June 1938. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday, the 17th June 1938. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended 3rd June 1938, Treasury Bills for Rs. 88,00,000 were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

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BOMBAY: WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 1938

General Strike Of Textile Workers In C. P.?

Trouble In 5 Mill Centres Brewing

Cabinet's Attitude Criticised

Ruikar's Warning To Congress Govt.: Textile Labour Committee's Recommendations Must Be Implemented

NAGPUR, June 7.

The possibility of a general textile workers strike in the near future is foreshadowed by Mr. R. S. Ruikar in a statement to-day in which he announces that a meeting of the representatives of the textile workers is fixed to take place on June 12 in Nagpur to take a decision in the matter.

Recalling that it is now more than a month since the publication of the C. P. Textile Labour Enquiry Committee's report, Mr. Ruikar says that the C. P. Congress Cabinet has not yet decided on their policy and workers are even now unaware as to what action Government and employers will take for implementing the recommendations of the Labour Report.

For the first time in the history of the provincial labour movement Nagpur and other textile centres of Akola, Hinganghat, Jubbulpore and Burhanpur, Mr. Ruikar asserts, have been united under one flag and are determined to present a united front to the capitalists in the province.

The workers have given ample time to the Congress Cabinet and millowners to implement the recommendations of the Labour Report but it is clear that "our moderation and forbearance have been misunderstood as our weakness and timidity." Therefore, there is no alternative before the workers now but to launch upon a general strike.

Mr. Ruikar appeals to textile unions in the province to prepare for a strike and to the public and to Congressmen to show the same sympathy and render the same assistance to the workers in C. P. as was shown by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and the U. P. Provincial Congress Committee to the brave textile workers of Cawnpore. Mr. Ruiker concludes by asking textile unions all over the province to send their elected representatives to Nagpur for the meeting to be held on June 12.—A. P.

THIRTY-FOURTH EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

Cardinal Paccelli, the Papal delegate to the Congress, being greeted by the Lord Mayor of Budapest and Admiral Horthy, on his arrival.

CALCUTTA PREPARES AGAINST POSSIBLE AIR RAIDS

Police Chief Forwards Important Note To C. E. O.

CALCUTTA, June 6.

Although the possibility of an air-raid on the City of Calcutta by any belligerent nation appears to be remote at the present moment, the local authorities appear to be busy considering precautionary measures, which are calculated to save the civil population in the congested portions of Calcutta from the effects of the non-persistent gas bombs.

"United Press" understands that the Police Commissioner of Calcutta has forwarded to the Chief Executive Officer of the Calcutta Corporation an important note prepared in this connection, after consultation with a British expert, who had served as a Gas Officer during the last Great War and is also credited with considerable personal experience of gaseous mines in England and India.

The action of non-persistent gas bombs, is to liberate a cloud of gas or smoke, containing chlorine phosgene or some other poison. The irritant smoke or clouds produced from bombs of this type, if dropped on narrow streets or lanes—which particularly the northern portion of the City of Calcutta abounds with,—would, it is feared, have cent per cent. deadly effect as an absence of wind would enable the gas to drift about in dangerous concentrations and penetrate into tenement buildings, dealing death on all sides.

AIR PRESS REMEDY.

According to this British expert, such a danger would be greatly reduced by the liberation of fresh air in or around the affected area, so as to break up the gas clouds and render it (the gas) harmless.

This is proposed to be done by a portable cylindrical chamber, fixed by clamps to a lorry, which would be capable of releasing air press at 300 lbs. to the square inch through a flexible tube, 100 feet in length.

The above appliance also contains provision for automatic collection of air at the same pressure as it is released.—United Press.

Mr. Sankaralal Banker, who has been in Malabar in the course of his tour to Khadi centres left Calicut for Ootacamond.

MILITARY OFFICERS IN CAR ACCIDENT

Car Dashes On Cathedral Gates: Three Seriously Injured Fourth Missing

(From Our Correspondent).

ALLAHABAD, June 7.

A serious motor accident occurred here at about 2 a. m. to-day when a motor car dashed against iron gates of the Cathedral on Canning Road. The car was occupied by four military officers who were probably returning from dance. It is alleged that the car was driven at full speed and collided against the gates which were closed. Three of the occupants were seriously injured and fractured their heads and hands.

Mystery surrounds the fourth occupant who upto the time of wiring has not been found. It is not known what happened to him. The occupants were probably thrown out of the car unconscious and did not know what became of him. The car was completely smashed and the injured were removed to the military hospital where their condition is said to be precarious

ALLEGED ASSAULT ON CONGRESSMAN

Dispute Over Tenancy Bill Alleged To Be The Cause

(From Our Correspondent).

ALLAHABAD June 7.

A Congress worker who is also a member of the Allahabad District Congress Committee is reported to have been attacked with lathis and other weapons by some infuriated villagers of Koraon, Meja Tehsil.

The gentleman received a number of injuries and has been admitted to the local Colvin Hospital. The cause of this beating is not known but it appears that the incident is not without some political importance.

It appears left wing Congressmen are trying to win over Kisans to their side in demanding radical amendments to Government's proposed Tenancy Bill while the right wing is carrying on a campaign to secure a wholehearted support for kisans to the Bill as drafted by Government. Probably this incident is the result of this struggle over Tenancy Bill.

Trouble In Vala State

Resentment Against Ban On Public Meetings: Civil Disobedience Threatened

(From Our Correspondent).

VALA, June 7.

On May 14, Vala State issued two prohibitory orders against convening public meeting and distributing leaflets. A protest meeting was held on same day and request was made to the authorities to withdraw the orders.

Darbar Gopaldas, President of Kathiawar Political Conference wired to the State Government urging the withdrawal of the orders, but they did not even show him the courtesy by replying his wire.

The Secretary of Kathiawar Political Conference visited Vala and surrounding villages with a view to getting first hand information.

A deputation of Vala Satyagrah Samittee waited on Darbar Gopaldas and Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and sought their guidance. On June 3, final request was made by Mr. Kashiram Lallubhai Mehta, President of Vala Satyagrah Samittee to withdraw orders within 3 days but as State remained adamant, the Satyagrah Samittee has now decided upon to resort to civil disobedience against the said orders.

On June 6, pamphlets were distributed freely in city. The police swiftly moved and went on destroying all the leaflets that they could get.

Now police is patrolling every nook and corner of the city.

In defiance of the order, a public meeting will also be held.

9 KILLED IN FACTION FIGHT

Tragedy In Meerut Village

ALLAHABAD, June 7.

The "Leader's" Meerut correspondent wires, that long standing enmity between Tagas and Vaish communities in village of Kakkaipur, District Meerut, resulted in a great tragedy. It is learnt that yesterday morning a group of Tagas are alleged to have attacked some Vaishas and cut off the nose of one of them which resulted in high excitement followed by serious fighting and use of fire arms. It further reported that nine deaths occurred as a consequence. All the dead bodies are brought here for post mortem. The Vaish whose nose was cut and another fellow who had received serious injuries were brought to the Civil Hospital here. Official version of incident is not yet available as inquiries are still proceeding.

BENGALI GIRL COMMITS SUICIDE

Tragedy Due To Dowry System

ALLAHABAD, June 6.

News of a shocking tragedy come from Lucknow, where it is reported, a Bengali girl aged about 18 committed suicide by setting fire to her clothes.

On enquiry it appears that the tragedy was due to the fact that the eldest brother of the girl, who was recently thrown out of employment is alleged to have committed suicide being unable to give his sister in marriage because of heavy demand for dowry.

Another brother of the girl who was also unemployed, was unable to bear even the expenses of the family. These facts weighed upon the mind of the girl and being desperate she, it is informed, entered a closed room, poured kerosene oil on her clothes and set them to fire.

Her brother and other inmates of the house did not know anything about the incident till they rushed to the spot hearing the girl shrieking but they were too late to save the girl.

3,000 Workers Down Tools

Rajnandgaon Mill Workers Demand Wage Increase

RAJNANDGAON, June 7.

A stay-in-strike has been declared in the Rajnandgaon Mills since yesterday, wherein 3,000 workers have been involved. The workers demand the reinstatement of eleven women members of the Labour Union recently dismissed, the removal of Mr. Naidoo, the weaving master and an increase in their wages.

Mr. Jameson, Chairman of the Conciliation Board, visited the Mills. He is reported to have put the blame on the Union and threatened to direct the Durbar to dissolve the Union. The workers remained firm in spite of the threat.

Mr. Ruiker has resigned his membership from the Board in view of the Chairman's alleged unfair attitude to the Union and one-sided inquiry in the absence of Mr. Ruiker. The Union's representatives also have withdrawn from the Board.

The Management have put up a notice inviting the workers to resume their duty. Mr. Ruiker has addressed a letter to the Management suggesting the Union's intervention to settle the dispute provided the Management agree to reinstate the eleven dismissed members of the Union and remove Mr. Naidoo, the weaving master

The workers are firm and peaceful.—United Press.

Ruiker Agrees To Work On Conciliation Board

RAJNANDGAON, June 7.

Mr. Jameson, Chairman of the Conciliation Board, has replied to Mr. Ruiker, assuring him that his name was not mentioned in connection with the stay-in strike of the Rajnandgaon Mills, and that he (Mr. Jameson) never thought of recommending the dissolution of the Labour Union.

Mr. Jameson added that he favoured properly constituted Unions and desired that the workers should have a fair deal.

On this assurance, Mr. Ruiker—who had resigned his membership of the Conciliation Board—has agreed to work on the Board.

Mr. Sen, the Labour Officer, is appearing as a witness before the Conciliation Board.

The stay-in strike is continuing. The Management have declared a lock-out at noon to-day.

It is likely that the Conciliation Board will intervene in the present dispute.—United Press.

CONGRESS MAJORITY IN AKOLA

Results Of Civic Election

AKOLA, June 7.

The result of Akola Municipal election was declared today.

The Congress has captured 8 seats out of 10 contested by it. 5 Congress candidates were already returned unopposed. In all the Congress has got 13 seats.

The strength now is: Congress 13, Muslims 3 and Independents 2 —United Press.

For Collection Of Funds For Tripuri Congress

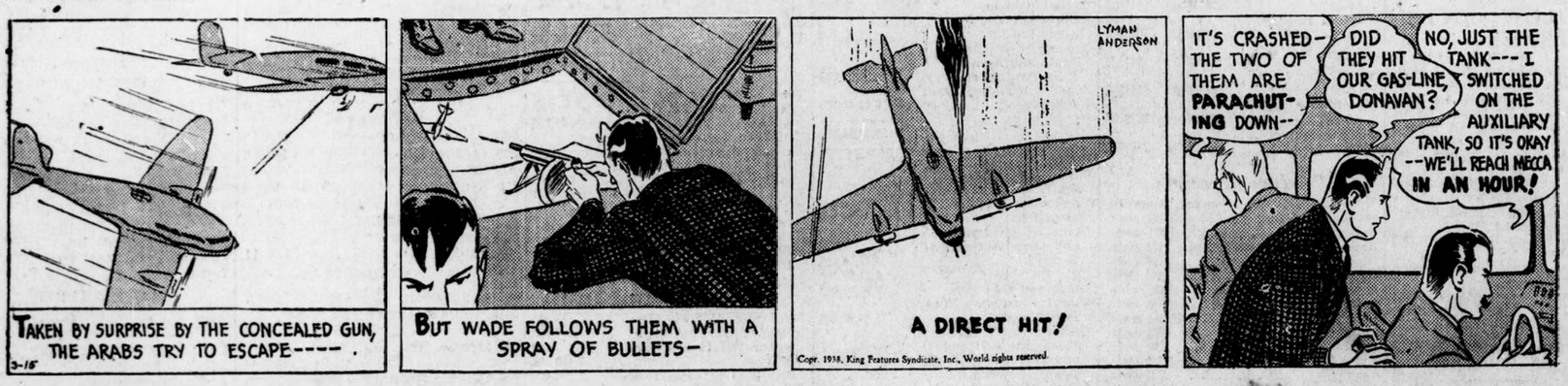
(From Our Correspondent)

NAGPUR, June 6.

It is reliably understood that Thakur Chedilal, President of the Mahakoshal Congress Committee, Seth Sheodas Daga and Seth Govinddas M.L.As (Central) will shortly undertake a province—wide tour with a view to collect funds for the Tripuri session of the Congress.

Edgar Wallace's Detective Story Day By Day

INSPECTOR WADE — THE GALLOW'S HAND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BUT WADE FOLLOWS THEM WITH A SPRAY OF BULLETS—
LYMAN ANDERSON
A DIRECT HIT!
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IT'S CRASHED—THE TWO OF THEM ARE PARACHUTING DOWN--
DID THEY HIT OUR GAS-LINE, DONAVAN?
NO, JUST THE TANK--- I SWITCHED ON THE AUXILIARY TANK, SO IT'S OKAY --WE'LL REACH MECCA IN AN HOUR!

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